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Panel selects nominees to fill vacant judgeship

Governor must name one to Family Court bench within 60 days

FRANKFORT, Ky. — The Judicial Nominating Commission, led by Chief Justice of Kentucky John D. Minton Jr., last week announced nominees to fill the vacant Family Court judgeship in the 37th Judicial Circuit, Division 2, which serves Carter, Elliott and Morgan counties.

The three attorneys named as nominees to fill the vacancy are Gary Everett Conn, David Doran Flatt and Steve O'Connor.

The Family Court judgeship was left vacant by Judge Kristi Gossett, who resigned May 22.

Gary Everett Conn of Grayson was previously an assistant commonwealth's attorney for the 37th Judicial Circuit. He earned his juris doctor at the University of Kentucky College of Law.

David Doran Flatt of Olive Hill currently serves the 37th Judicial District as commonwealth's attorney. He earned his juris doctor at Northern Kentucky University Salmon P. Chase College of Law.

Steve O'Connor of West Liberty is the current Morgan County attorney. He earned his juris doctor at Northern Kentucky University Salmon P. Chase College of Law.

When a judicial vacancy occurs, the Judicial Nominating Commission, established in the Kentucky Constitution, is named. The membership is comprised of the chief justice of Kentucky (who also serves as chair), two lawyers elected by all the lawyers in their circuit/district and four Kentucky citizens who are appointed by the governor. The four citizens appointed by the governor must equally represent the two major political parties, so two must be Democrats and two must be Republicans.

It is the responsibility of the commission to submit a list of three names to the governor and the governor must appoint a judge from this list of three within 60 days. The appointment is until the 2010 general election, at which the appointee must run as a candidate for a full eight-year term.

Women veterans who participated in the Veterans' Day program and memorial unveiling at Tredway/Kiwanis Park Saturday are shown with Maj. Gen. Verna Fairchild (USAF Ret.), who was the principal speaker at the monument's dedication.

Medicare open enrollment begins on November 15th

Free counseling and assistance will be available locally

Is your Medicare for 2010 confusing you? Do you have questions? Or do you need help finding a better prescription plan?

Beginning Nov. 15, Medicare beneficiaries can change their Part D drug plan or Health Plan for the year 2010. The Annual Election Period will end on December 31, 2009. Now is the time to compare and prepare for the New Year.

Counseling and assistance is available for those wanting help choosing and enrolling in a plan, through the State Health Insurance Assistance Program.

There will be someone to assist you with your Medicare questions and open enrollment on Thursday, December 3, 2009, at the Morgan County Public Library, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

For more information or to make an appointment, contact Dara DeHart Furman, local State Health Insurance Program (SHIP) coordinator, at 606-780-0090 ext. 2301 or 1-800-862-0526. The Gateway Area Development District's SHIP program provides free assistance. The SHIP Program does not sell or endorse any insurance policy/plan and clients' information is kept confidential.

Veterans Day program draws large crowd; women's military memorial is dedicated

By Miranda Cantrell James

Over 200 people attended the Morgan County Woman's Club 28th annual Veterans' Day program and unveiling of the women's military monument on Saturday, Nov. 7, at the Kiwanis Tredway Park.

Fifty-nine veterans from throughout Kentucky participated in the event, which included special guest speakers and veterans U.S. Air Force Major General Verna Fairchild (Ret.), U.S. Navy Specialist Chief Petty Officer Lisa Redding (Ret.) and monument sculptor Stephen Tirone (U.S. Marine Corps veteran).

The ceremony opened with remarks by Mayor Jim Rupe, a Vietnam veteran, and Judge Executive Tim Conley, whose father served in World War II.

"Veterans are the greatest gift we have," Conley said. "Today is about the service of those men and women. Because of them, we are surely living in a blessed nation today."

Veteran Dan Hittepole gave the invocation, followed by the presentation of colors by the Elliott County High School Jr. ROTC, and the singing of the national anthem by soprano Andrea Trusty.

Woman's Club member Bridget Murphy introduced veterans Jack Howard, J.C. Stamper, Lon Dale Sheets, Callis Keeton and Wayne Ball, who placed memorial wreaths representing each branch of the armed forces followed by "Taps."

Morgan County ARH employee Lisa Redding, who served in the Navy December 1983-September 2004, spoke about the evolving roles of women in the military and the significance of memorializing veterans.

"When I joined the Navy as a ship serviceman, women were not allowed in combat," Redding said. "I performed a variety of other duties and even served as a military barber. Years later, I was in communication with the U.S.S. Cole crew members when the ship was bombed in 2000. Women gave their lives for their country that day. I am so proud West Liberty chose to honor women with this memorial.

"I never knew anyone who enlisted in the military to be a hero. The military is just a job until it becomes something more. I was never called on to be a hero, but I am proud to remember those who were. We must never forget those who fought to defend the freedoms we enjoy today."

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Update on Judicial Center: Construction mgr. named

The local Project Development Board has tapped Codell Construction Co. of Winchester as construction manager for the new Morgan County Judicial Center.

The firm, one of three construction management companies that applied for job, was picked by majority vote of the board at its Oct. 22 meeting.

The other companies that applied were Pack's Inc. of Morehead and Alliance Corp., which teamed together to apply for the job.

The local board will meet Tuesday, Nov. 24, to review final plans for the $18 million center to be built on the corner of Court and Broadway Streets, formerly occupied by McKenzie Shopwise.

Judge Executive Tim Conley, a member of the local board, said demolition of the Shopwise building and site preparation will begin in January. The project is expected to be advertised for bids in February with construction tentatively scheduled to begin in March.

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Fiscal Court to meet Tuesday, Nov. 10

The regular fiscal court meeting for November has been changed from November 11 to November 10, 2009, at 7:30 a.m., due to Veterans Day holiday.

Woman's Club celebrates completion of memorial project

Members of the Morgan County Woman's Club pose proudly in front of the Women In Military Monument/ Saturday's dedication of the monument and memorial walk at Tredway/Kiwanis Park was the culmination of a project that began in 2007. The memorial dedication was held in conjunction with the Woman's Club's annual Veterans Day Program and was attended by over 200 people, including veterans and their families and the public. Maj. Gen. Verna Fairchild (USAF Ret.) was the dedication speaker.

12 candidates already filed for primary

Wednesday, Nov. 4, was the first day for candidates to file for the May 18, 2010, primary election and already several have officially tossed their hats into the ring.

As of Tuesday of this week, those who had officially filed to seek their party's nomination for county offices included:

Stanley Riggsby (incumbent), Magistrate, Dist. 3; Darby Franklin (incumbent), Property Valuation Administrator; Steve Keeton, Magistrate, Dist. 3; Mickey Whitt (incumbent), Sheriff; Kenny Perry, Sheriff; Jimmy Darrell Easterling (incumbent) Jailer; Ben Castle, Sheriff; Tim Conley (incumbent), Judge Executive; Denzil Potter (incumbent), Magistrate, Dist. 1; Darris Smith, Magistrate, Dist. 2; Shannon Elam, Magistrate, Dist. 5; Joseph B. Curd (incumbent), County Surveyor.

The deadline for filing as a candidate in the May 2010 primary is Tuesday, Jan. 26.

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NEWS OF RECORD

CIRCUIT COURT

New civil cases – Virgil Keith May et al vs. Brittany D. Endicott, Nov. 5; Michael L. Fugate vs. Shawna Tolson, Oct. 5; Americredit Financial Services vs. Debra L. Ross et al, Nov. 5; Estate of Jean Morris et al vs. Hinkle Contracting Corporation, Nov. 5.

DISTRICT COURT

New civil cases – Cach LLC vs. Della S. Wright, Oct. 30; Sommerhill Capital vs. Becky Peyton, Oct. 30; Community Trust Bank vs. Daniel Watson, Nov. 2; Capital One Bank vs. William Wheeler, Nov. 2; Appalachian Regional Healthcare vs. Charles Allen Fallen, Nov. 2; Appalachian Regional Healthcare vs. Hobert E. Helton et al, Nov. 2; Midland Funding LLC vs. Daniel W. Ball, Nov. 5.

ARRAIGNMENTS

Rebecca A. Burke – expired registration receipt, expired registration plates – bench warrant issued, $250.

Kimberly Cornett – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pled guilty, $200, loss of license for 90 days.

Austin T. Guilfoil – theft by unlawful taking – preliminary hearing Nov. 24.

Franklin J. Howard – alcohol intoxication in a public place – pled guilty, $25.

Jerry C. Lykins – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pre-trial conference Nov. 17.

Michael T. McCoy – speeding 14 mph over limit – pled guilty, referred to state traffic school.

Jeremy S. Mitchell – failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security – pre-trial conference Nov. 24.

Montana Phipps – theft by unlawful taking – preliminary hearing Nov. 10.

Montana Phipps – receiving stolen property (firearm) – preliminary hearing Nov. 10.

Matthew C. Risner – speeding 10 mph over limit – pled guilty, referred to state traffic school; failure to wear seatbelts – pled guilty, $25.

Cammie M. Tackett – speeding 10 mph over limit, failure to produce insurance card, operating a vehicle with expired operator's license, improper use of dealer's plates – rescheduled Nov. 17.

Patricia P. Tyra – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs, operating on suspended/revoked operator's license – pre-trial conference Jan. 12.

Heath T. White – failure of owner to mainain required insurance/security – pled guilty, $500; operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pled guilty, $200, loss of license for 90 days.

Jonathan L. Woods – driving on DUI-suspended license (first offense), failure to notify address change to department of transportation, failure to wear seatbelts – rescheduled Nov. 10.

Jason Kelly – fugitive from another state (nine counts; warrant required) – rescheduled Nov. 10.

Jason E. Kelly – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs, fleeing or evading police on foot (first degree), possession of a controlled substance (first degree, three counts; first offense, drug unspecified), illegal possession of legend drug, menacing, resisting arrest, assault (third degree; police/probation officer) – rescheduled Nov. 10.

Stephanie Kelly – public intoxication by a controlled substance, tampering with physical evidence – preliminary hearing Nov. 10.

Marsha J. Risner – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pled guilty, $200, loss of license for 90 days.

Jason Thomas – failure to wear seatbelts, operating on suspended/revoked operator's license, operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs, use/possession of drug paraphernalia (first offense), theft by unlawful taking (auto), receiving stolen property ($10,000 or more) – preliminary hearing Nov. 10.

Pre-trial conference – Ronnie S. Bailey – theft by deception including cold checks under $300 – pled guilty, 365 days.

Pre-trial conference – David Bolin – oerating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – order entered.

Pre-trial conference – Larry B. Collins – conspiracy to trafficking in marijuana (less than 8 oz.; first offense) – rescheduled Jan. 12.

Pre-trial conference – Larry B. Collins – speeding 15 mph over limit, failure of non-owner operator to maintain required insurance, operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – rescheduled Jan. 12.

Pre-trial conference – Gary W. Gibson – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pled guilty, $200, loss of license for 90 days; menacing – pled guilty, 90 days.

Pre-trial conference – Jamie Harper – falsely reporting an incident – Alford plea, 90 days.

Pre-trial conference – Apryl D. Johnson – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drus, possession of a controlled substance (second degree, first offense; drug unspecified), controlled substance prescription not in original container, use/possession of drug paraphernalia (first offense) – rescheduled Nov. 10.

Pre-trial conference – Michael Kelly – operating on suspended/revoked operator's license, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, failure to wear seatbelts, failure to notify address change to department of transportation – jury trial Jan. 13.

Pre-trial conference – Phillip Kelly – possession of marijuana – rescheduled Nov. 10.

Pre-trial conference – Phillp Kelly – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – rescheduled Nov. 10.

Preliminary hearing – Brittney R. Lacy – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs, possession of a controlled substance (first degree, first offense; drug unspecified) – rescheduled Jan. 12.

Pre-trial conference – Matthew Peyton – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – rescheduled Jan. 12.

Preliminary hearing – Timothy Reed – license to be in possession, operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs, possession of a controlled substance (third degree, second offense; drug unspecified), controlled substance prescription not in original container – rescheduled Jan. 12.

Pre-trial conference – James Rupe – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pled guilty, 90 days, loss of license for 12 months.

Pre-trial conference – Jamie Rupe – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pled guilty, $200, loss of license for 90 days.

Preliminary hearing – Michael P. Smith – operating on suspended/revoked operator's license, operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs, failure of non-owner operator to maintain required insurance/security, failure to register transfer of motor vehicle, posession of a controlled substance (first degree, first offense; drug unspecified) – Nov. 10.

Pre-trial conference – Teenalora C. Smith – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pled guilty, $350, loss of license for 12 months.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Shirley Hellem, Lois Avanell taulbee, and Janet Nickell fka Janet Miller, to David W. Nickell and Linda, 125 acres, more or less on the ridge between Cox Branch and Road Branch, thence southward with Miles Nickell line down the point and crossing the county road and branch and up the point to the top of the ridge between Bird Branch and Road Branch, for and in consideration of $1 and other good and valuable consideration.

Nora Manning to Nora Minning and Shelly Manning Hunter, 0.773 acres on Liberty Street and U.S. 460, $1 plus love and affection.

Clyde J. Kelly and Wilma Jo to Richard Kelly, 100 acres, more or less, on Caney Fork of Open Fork of Paint Creek, $9,000 plus love and affection.

Mona Jean Stamper, H.C. Stamper, JoAnn Cox, Janice Sue Fannin, Linda Joy Stevens and Hershell, Michael Ray Stevens and Amanda, Betty Lois Luke and Viola Stevens, to Danny Logan Stevens, land lyking and being in the City of West Liberty on Turner Street, love and affection.

John Gibson and Patricia to Clinton R. Perry and Shavonna K. Spencer, land located on Hwy 437 near John Leepers property, $20,000.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Randy Williams, Morgan County Court Clerk, has issued the following marriage licenses.

Diana Howard, 46, of West Liberty, Ky., daughter of Katherine Casebolt Perkins and Elwood, to Kelly Cleveland Martin, Jr., 53, of Conway, North Carolina, son of Camilla Allen Martin and Kelly.

Elisha Ester Klippenstein, 21, of Crockett, Ky., daughter of Maria Luisa Arevalos Klippenstein and Edwin Giesbrecht, to Ethan Paul Weber, 22, of Ontario, son of Anna Martin Weber and Raymond.

Tamera Jo Cassell, 41, of West Liberty, Ky., daughter of Jean Ferguson Lewis and Cecil Cassell, to Donald Scott Cassell, 37, of West Liberty, son of Janet Cassell and Joe.

Wanda R. Haney, 38, of Grassy Creek, daighter of Donna Raye Adams Easterling and Charles, to Clarence E. Dingus, 32, of Salyersville, son of Barbara Sue Carty Dingus and Lars Russell.

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Adkins, King to exchange marriage vows December 5

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The bride is the daughter of Michael and Sue Adkins, of Ezel, and Tim and Penny Kelly, of Straight Creek.

The groom is the son of Jackie and Anita King, of Vance Fork.

An open ceremony will take place at 4 o'clock in the afternoon at Straight Creek Enterprise Baptist Church. All friends and family are welcome to attend.

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Samuel Chad Cantrell and Kristen LeiAnn Smith

Smith-Cantrell vows to be spoken

Kristen LeiAnn Smith, daughter of Donald and Cheryl Smith of Frenchburg, and Mr. Samuel Chad Cantrell, son of Sammy and Debbie Cantrell of West Liberty, would like to announce their forthcoming marriage. The wedding will be Saturday, November 21, 2009, at 1:30 in the afternoon, at the Dayspring Assembly of God Church in Frenchburg, Ky. An open church wedding will be observed,

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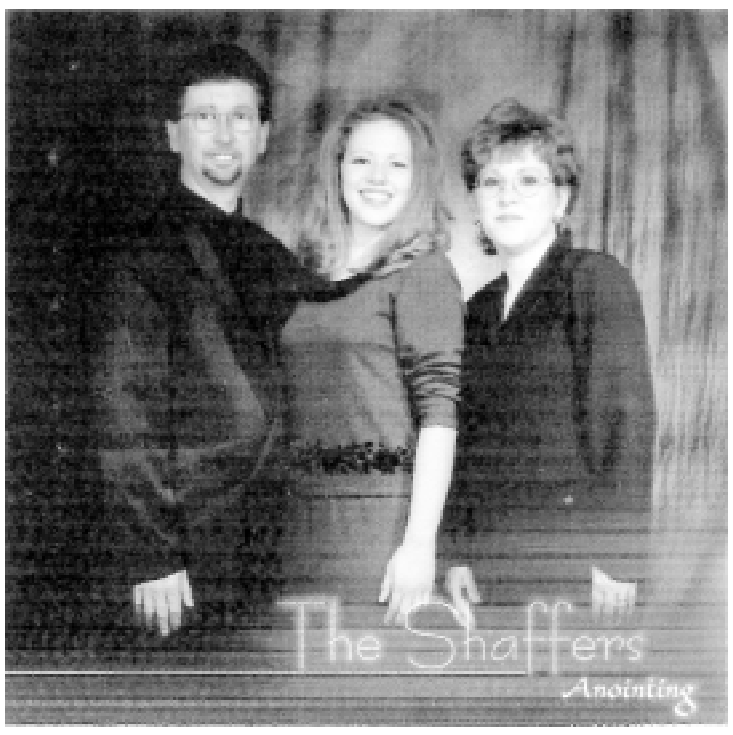


Shaffer Family to sing at Assembly of Faith Church Nov. 15

The Shaffer Family, from West Virginia, will be special guest singers at Assembly of Faith Church on Sunday, Nov. 15, during the 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. worship services. Pastor Harold Davis welcomes the Shaffer Family. Everyone is welcome to attend. Please call Harold Davis for additional information, 743-7672. (pd)

George Lacy celebrates 98th birthday

On September 22, Judge Tim Conley visited with Mr. Lacy and presented him with a proclamation, proclaiming it George Lacy Day in Morgan County and West Liberty. Mr. Lacy celebrated his 98th birthday with Judge Conley, his friends and staff at the West Liberty Nursing and Rehab. Center.

Bridget Murphy

Murphy attends Women's Clubs regional meet

The Southeast Region of the General Federation of Women's Clubs held its annual meeting recently in Bethesda, MD. Members of local Women's Clubs from Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, Tennessee, North Carolina, and Kentucky were in attendance. Bridget Murphy, Morgan County Woman's Club member, attended representing the local club.

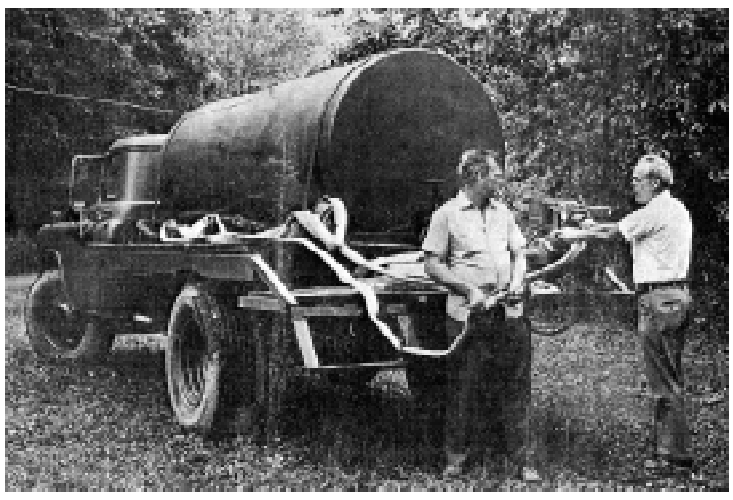
She and the LEADS graduates from the other states were invited to do a presentation on Saturday's meeting pertaining to the training they received this summer at the General Federation of Women's Clubs International Convention in Cleveland, OH. The skit, being performed on Halloween, adhered to an Addams' Family theme complete with a theme song. Members enjoyed the performance written by Sharon Quinter of MD, and the LEADS' program received a standing ovation!

Mrs. Murphy attended a wonderful welcome reception hosted by the Women's Clubs of MD and a Halloween fun night sponsored by the MD Junior Clubs. She reacquainted with friends from Cleveland as well as with fellow KY clubwomen including the GFWC/KFWC President Anne Aubrey, SER President Phoebe McCoy, and SER Director of Junior Clubs Missi McCoy. The next opportunity for these friends to be together will be at the next state convention to be held in Lexington in April. Morgan County's own clubwoman Mary Alice Oldfield will be installed as the new GFWC/KFWC President. The Morgan County Woman's Club is very proud of the leadership development it provides to its members.

WORDS OF WISDOM

Knowledge shrinks as vision grows.

– Alfred North Whitehead



Caney Valley Fire Department volunteers Henry A. Vance, left, and Ronald Perkins, right, are shown in this old photo by Phil Benton of The Ashland Independent re-rolling hose and inspecting a pump on the department's first tanker truck. The department continues to serve residents in western and southern Morgan County.

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Henry Cemetery Notice

Donations are needed for the mowing and upkeep of the Henry Cemetery, located at Index. Please send to Dearl Dykes, Treasurer, 334 S. Howard Street, Sabina, Ohio 45169.

C-3-27-tf

Free Smoking Cessation classes being offered

FREE Smoking Cessation classes starting Thursday, May 7, at 4:30 p.m., at the Morgan County ARH Hospital in the Administrative Conference Room on the second floor. Classes will continue every Thursday for 12 consecutive weeks.

C-5-7-tf

Alcoholics Anonymous meetings every Sunday

Alcoholics Anonymous meetings are held in West Liberty every Sunday evening at 8 o'clock at the County Office Building, Fiscal Court Room. For additional information call 743-1210.

C-10-8-tf

Hometown Holidays beauty pageant Nov. 28

The 2009 Hometown Holidays Second Annual Beauty Pageant will be Saturday, Nov. 28, at 2 p.m., at Carl Perkins Center, in Morehead. The deadline to enter is November 14. Entry fee is $50. The first five contestants to enter will receive free overalls. For additional information call Shelly Lytle, (606) 780-1082 or Amber Smith, (606) 780-8828. Every child receives a crown, trophy and a gift. Santa will be there also.

C-10-15-5t

Union Meeting set at Red Bush Baptist Ch.

The Union Meeting at Red Bush Enterprise Baptist Church is scheduled for Thursday, Nov. 12, through Sunday, Nov. 15. The following ministers are scheduled for Thursday, 7 p.m., Lowell Fyffe and Mike Cordle; Friday, 7 p.m., Eugene Dickerson and Billy T. Rice; Saturday, 7 p.m., Jimmy Tharp and H.C. Stamper; Sunday, 11 a.m., Wendell Ison and Mike Gilliam; Sunday, 6 p.m., James Wallin and Harold Salyer. The pastor, Bro. Mike Sparks, assistant pastor, Bro. Chris Baldwin, and congregation invite everyone.

C-11-5-2t

GED test dates are Nov. 12-13

The MSU at West Liberty Adult Eduction and Career Center will be giving the next GED test Thursday and Friday, Nov. 12 and 13. New fee is $50 for the entire test ($25 per subject). If you are interested in taking the test, please call the center at 743-1599 to register. On test date please bring required documents, DAEL-6 form and picture I.D.

C-11-5-2t

Headwaters Bass Club annual banquet Nov. 14

Headwaters Bass Club will be having it's annual banquet dinner Saturday, Nov. 14, at 7 p.m., at the bass club. All members are encouraged to attend. Hope to see you there.

C-11-5-2t

Two For One to sing at Tom's Branch Ch.

Two For One will be singing during the 11 a.m. worship service at Tom's Branch Community Church on Sunday, Nov. 15. The church is located on Hwy. 772. The pastor, Bro. Jeff Montgomery, and congregation invite everyone to attend.

C-11-5-2t

Gateway Com. Action annual Dinner Meet. set

Gateway Community Action Agency will host the Annual Dinner Meeting on Thursday, Nov. 12. The meeting will be held at the Clark Energy Community Center, Frenchburg, Ky. 40322, and will begin at 6:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

C-11-5-2t

Singing at Pine Grove Church set Nov. 14th

Pine Grove Community Church invites everyone to attend a singing on Saturday, Nov. 14, at 7 p.m., with Higher Ground. This group is from Cincinnati, Ohio and has been featured on WLJC. Come worship with us. Refreshments will also be served.

C-11-5-2t

Nobody can make you feel inferior without your permission.
—Eleanor Roosevelt

Local Work Group meeting slated Nov. 19

You are invited to attend the 2010 Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP) Ranking Criteria Local Work Group meeting. This is a public meeting and all interested persons are invited to attend. The Local Work Group will provide recommendations to NRCS regarding the 2010 EQIP ranking criteria for your local community. The meeting will be held Thursday, Nov. 19, 9:30 a.m.-10 a.m., at Morehead State University Farm, Richardson Livestock Arena, Hwy. 377 (Cranston Road) North of I-64, Morehead. For additional information contact Marty McCleese, (606) 743-3194.

C-11-12-2t

Attention Morgan County Veterans

A veterans benefits field representative will be at the Morgan County Office Building, in West Liberty, on Tuesday, Nov. 17, from 9 a.m. until noon. Veterans and their dependents will receive assistance filing for federal and state veterans benefits. This service is provided free of charge by the Kentucky Department of Veterans Affairs. To apply, veterans need to furnish copies of pertinent documentation to verify eligibility. For further information, please call toll free 1-866-244-8970 to speak with a veterans benefits field representative.

Missionary Prayer Band meeting set Nov. 22nd

The Morgan County Area Missionary Prayer Band will move its normal meeting day to the fourth Sunday, Nov. 22, at 5:30 p.m. Please bring the shoeboxes from your church to join us. We will meet at the Index Community Church for special prayer service for the Shoe Box Christmas project of Samaritan's Purse. The meeting is moved due to this Sunday's community Thanksgiving singspiration.

C-11-12-2t

Tones of Faith to be at New Salem Ch. Nov. 22

New Salem Enterprise Baptist Church will have Old Fashion Day on Sunday, Nov. 22. Tones of Faith will be singing. Services will begin at 11 a.m. Gt out your bonnets and bibs and come join us for a wonderful day of singing and fellowship. Dinner will follow the service with soup beans and all the trimmings. Pastor James Wallin invites everyone.

C-11-12-2t

Shaffer family to sing at Assembly of Faith Ch.

The Shaffer family, from West Virginia, will be singing at Assembly of Faith Church on Sunday, Nov. 15, during the 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. worship services. Pastor Harold Davis and congregation welcome everyone to attend. For additional information call Pastor Davis at 743-7672.

Singing at Sandfield Com. Church Nov. 21

There will be a singing at Sandfield Community Church on Saturday, Nov. 21, beginning at 7 p.m. Featured singers will be Heavenly Bound. The pastor, Bro. Mike Brooks, and congregation invite everyone to attend.

C-11-5-2t

Tommy Webb Band to be at Jenny's Nov. 14th

The Tommy Webb Band will be performing at Jenny's Music Barn, at Farmers, on Saturday, Nov. 14, beginning at 8 p.m. For additional information phone (606) 784-9938.

Commercial Bank to be closed Nov. 26th

Commercial Bank will be closed Thursday, Nov. 26, in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday.

C-11-12-3t

Turkey dinner at Zag Church set Nov. 13th

There will be a turkey dinner at Zag Community Church, on Friday, Nov. 13, from 4 to 8 p.m. Turkey, dressing, mashed potatoes, green beans, corn and dessert. Eat in or carry out. No charge for dinner. Donations accepted.

Watson Ladies Bible Study meeting Nov. 15

Watson Ladies Bible Study Group will meet Sunday, Nov. 15, from 4 to 6 p.m. Join us as we study Elizabeth, mother of John the Baptist. Please bring a covered dish to share as we fellowship after the study session. Presented by Janet Oliver.

Highland Lodge called meeting set

Highland Lodge will have a called meeting at 8 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 14.

Index Community Ch. collecting shoe box gifts

The Index Community Church has accepted the responsibility of collecting shoe box Christmas gifts for Samaritan's Purse. There are information flyers and instruction cards in our foyer or call the church at 743-4733 or 743-4464. We will be accepting shoe box gifts through Sunday, Nov. 22. Maybe your ladies or youth group would be interested in this project. Bring them to the Missionary Prayer Service and learn more about missions. These boxes will be distributed through-out the world. You may track your box by printing a label from the site www.samaritanspurse.org. "Operation Christmas Child is a great way to bring joy and the Good News of Jesus Christ to children in need of hope," stated Franklin Graham, president of Samaritan's Purse.

C-11-12-2t

Local student asking for assistance com. project

Cory Linkous, a junior at Morgan County High School, is assembling a list of names from Morgan County of our men ad women who are in the Middle East serving our military. Cory is a 2009 Morgan County Rogers Scholar. He decided to make his Rogers community project one of letting our military people know that they have not been forgotten by their community and friends and plans to send them CARE packages for the Christmas season. Cory has received several names this past week. Once he has a complete list of names with addresses, he will involve the community. He is wants to send cards and notes in each package. Cory wants to make this a complete community effort and needs your help! Cory is the son of Keith and Myra Linkous of Malone and the grandson of Lillian Perkins. He can be reached at 743-4192. He needs your help!

C-11-12-4t

HOLIDAY HOPE

Join Hospice of the Bluegrass – Mountain Community for Holiday Hope - an evening of support, memories, and discussion about dealing with grief during the holiday season.

This free service will be held on Tuesday, November 17th from 6:00 to 8:30 pm at the new Perry County Public Library on Black Gold Blvd. in Hazard, and is open to anyone in the communities who may need additional support during the holidays. Refreshments will be served.

For more information contact Hospice of the Bluegrass – Mountain Community at (606) 439-2111 or (800) 560-1101.

Conley-Buckner dental ofc. closed for remodeling

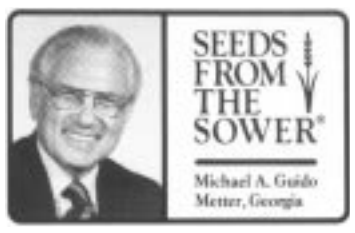
The dental office of Dr. Galen Conley and Dr, Kimberly Buckner will be closed for remodeling on November 13 through Nov. 22. Office will reopen on Nov. 23. If you need to contact the dentist, please call 738-4378 for Dr. Galen Conley, or 522-4505 for Dr. Buckner.

Planning Commission meeting set Nov. 16th

The West Liberty Planning Commission will meet in regular session Monday, Nov. 16, at 12 noon, in the West Liberty City Hall Council Room. All meetings are open to the public.

Worship service at Lacy Creek Baptist Ch.

There will be worship service at Lacy Creek Baptist Church, on Lacy Creek, Sunday, Nov. 15, at 11 a.m. The pastor, Bro. Tim Jenkins, and congregation invite everyone to come.



Years ago, Bill wanted to become a professional ball player. He was offered a contract to catch for the best team in the world, but his father wouldn't let him.

"I'll leave home," he said. But the next day he damaged his throwing arm, and there was nothing to do but become a lawyer.

Bill considered himself a failure. But he worked hard and became the Chief Justice of the United States, and later our 26th President.

His name? William Howard Taft.

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Caney Valley

By Tracey Barker Hatton

Nov. 9 – Hello again from Caney Valley. This week is recognized as Veterans' Day on Nov. 11. This is a time of remembrance of our troops at home and abroad, as well as the ones who have previously served our country.

We all have family members who have served in some capacity. My mother had three brothers who served in the armed forces. My uncle, Paul McClees, was corporal in the United States Marine Corps, as well my uncles Billy McClees (Army) nd Charles McClees (Navy). My mother's brothers are deceased, but she is very proud of their duty to our country.

I recently talked with my uncle, Woodford Henry. He was born on July 21, 1917. He is 92 years old and served in World War II. He went into the army on May 29, 1942, at the age of 24.

U.S. Air Force Lt. Col. Delbert Honchul (Ret.) also enlisted the same day. Uncle Woodford said that Delbert retired out of the service, received his college degree and taught military science at Murray State University in western Kentucky.

On Oct. 1, 1942, Uncle Woodford and Delbert left San Francisco by ship and arrived in New Zealand on Oct. 22. The weather and landscape was beautiful. They went on from there to Guadalcanal and then to the French island of New Caledonia to guard Japanese prisoners.

One time Uncle Woodford went out to help unload gas barrels from a barge. He was not happy about going, but while he was gone, the Japanese attacked their field camp. When he retired, his duffel bag had shrapnel in it, and some of the boys in his tent were killed.

Uncle Woodford and his brothers, Milford and Asa, were all in the army at the same time. Uncle Woodford wa sin the South Pacific, and Milford and Asa were in Europe. He remembered that Bob Hope came over to entertain the troops at New Georgia Island.

At that time, Aunt Berchlene stated that Jesse Morris (Ren Morris's son), of Caney, was killed in action at New Georgia Island. He is buried at Morris Cemetery, along with many other veterans.

After Uncle Woodford was overseas for two years, he was eligible to have his name in a drawing for service men to return home. Many people think Friday the 13th is unlucky, but Uncle Woodford's name was drawn on that day to come back to stateside post. To him, Friday the 13th is just another day, and he is not superstitious.

Uncle Woodford was stationed at Fort Blanding, Fla., and helped train two bunches of new recruits. When getting ready to have his discharge physical, he found out he had tuberculosis. He was in the hospital approximately two years before coming home. He returned home in Oct. 1947.

I appreciate the time that Uncle Woodford spent in the service to protect our country, and I am also proud of all the service men and women who give of themselves to keep our freedom free. When you say your prayers at night, remember our service men and women and their families. When you get ready to fall asleep, remember that you are able to sleep in your bed without having to worry about war in your backyard. May God bless our troops.

Also remember the troops slain last week at Fort Hood, as well as their families. This is a tragedy. We pray that the ones who died were ready to meet the Lord.

After thinking about scripture would be appropriate for Veterans' Day, I like 2 Samuel: 23-24 (KJV): "And when David inquired of the Lord he said Thou shalt not go up but fetch a compass behind them and come upon them over against the mulberry trees. And let it be, when though hearest the sound of a going in the tops of the mulberry trees, that then thou shalt bestir thyself: for then shall the Lord go out before thee, to smite the host of the Philistines."

God needs to be included in all facets our lives. This includes military duty. We as a nation need to become a God-fearing nation and look to the Lord for guidance and direction. David (a little shepherd boy who brought down the giant Goliath with his slingshot and stones became Kind David of Israel) knew where his strength came from. He inquired of the Lord, and the Lord heard his call. As a country, we need to depend upon the voice of the Lord and inquire what actions that He would take in our own lives.

I would like to share one more thing. This year, Boone, Rachel and I toured Arlington National Cemetery. What an awesome experience it was to see the grave markers of the ones who gave their lives for our country. We saw the changing of the guard at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. To know that this tomb is guarded 24/7 makes you realize that we live in a country where our homeland is guarded by our United States Armed Services 24/7.

The past weekend sure went fast. On Friday evening, Morgan Central Elementary School had its annual fall festival and auction. Many were in attendance and supported our school. Our PTO works very hard to put together this activity, along with the FRC and the teachers. We appreciate our PTO and all their hard work. This does not go unnoticed. Thanks is also extended to all those who attended.

On Saturday, we ran errands and visited my granny, Wanna Barker, at West Liberty Nursing & Rehabilitation Center. She was in a very loving and caring mood. She does not know me due to Alzheimer's disease, but I am so glad she knows the Lord.

I appreciate all the staff at the nursing home. They have such love for the residents there. I just want to say thank you for the care that granny receives, and the care that Aunt Becky Hammond received while there. The night that Becky died, you were all so attentive to her needs, as well as the family. That did not go unnoticed.

We also did lawn care at Morris Cemetery. It was so beautiful on the hill. We sat on a concrete bench when we were done, just to enjoy the evening sun.

Boone recalled a memory that his aunt, Becky Hammond, shared with him many years ago. One time she was attending a church service on Morris Cemetery, and she said the way the clouds and the sun were in the sky, it appeared they formed a cross.

We then went over to Mom and Cecil's to enjoy a delicious supper.

On Sunday, Boone, Eunice and I attended church at Centerville. Afterward, Boone and I took a Sunday drive to Jackson. We went to Wal-Mart, and while there we saw Rick and Naomi Simpkins and their sons, Tanner and Trevor. We then ate at KFC and stopped by the Jackson Cemetery. My grandparents and other relatives are buried there. We just enjoyed this beauty of a November weekend.

We want to say hello to Astor and Martha Barker, and Bert and Edna Wells. May God bless you all.

Danny Barker, Astor's son, always gives us an update on Astor when we attend Brushy Fork Church. It is always good to hear how he is doing.

Edna, it was good to talk with you the other evening.

Delbert Honchul wrote a note wanting the older residents of Caney Valley to know that Bonnie Bailey Barnes had passed on Oct. 7, 2009, at her home in Romulus, Mich. She was 88 years old, and the daughter of Wesley and Mary Bailey. She graduated from Caney Grade School and Cannel City High School.

Delbert wrote that Bonnie was a fine woman and will be remembered by the older generation. Aunt Berchlene said she also remembered Bonnie.

I accidentally omitted Chester and Mary Lumpkins being married over 50 years. I have no birthdays to report this week.

May God bless and keep you.

Prayer Requests

Burlin Perry's family, Daisy Harper and family, Don Cheek, Debbie Craft, Mary Lou Hatton, Judah Hardin, Earl Ray Elam, Patty and Cecil Griffin, Berchlene and Woodford Henry, Allison Blevins, Oletta Sallee, Terry Marting, our community and our schools.

Lacy Creek

Nov. 9--Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Dan LeMaster, Jr. have been Bill Lewis, William Dan LeMaster, Tom Blackburn, Janice and Jerrica Stapleton. Joyce LeMaster visited recently with Jewell Young and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Cottle.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lewis have been Janice Stapleton and Jerrica, Myranda Martin, Darrell Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Dicky Williams. Bill Lewis visited Sunday with Kennell Lewis.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Roe and Shelby have been Jackie Bailey, Nicole Gibbs, Terry Gibbs and Jackson Bailey. Nova Lea Roe and Shelby visited last week with Jan Jones. Nada Adkins and Bethany were also visiting. Jan, Nova Lea and Shelby visited last week with Bernice Johnson. Julie Johnson was also visiting.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Nickell have been Mr. and Mrs. Archie Williams and Terry Gibbs. The Williams also visited with Bear Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Nickell visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Gullett and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Nickell. Junior Gullett is recovering nicely from his recent surgery. Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Nickell have been Sharon Haney, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Nickell and children, Patty Ball, Sandy McClure and sons.

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For more information you may call Alicia McClurg or Keith Holbrook at 743-8073, Carolyn Bishop at 743-8357 or 522-8157, Donna Blair at 743-8113 or Kim Standafer at 743-8432

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Vets Day memorial unveiling ...

Two views of the Women's Military Monument.

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Following Trusty's rendition of the Lord's Prayer and a roll call of veterans, U.S. Air Force Major General Verna Fairchild (Ret.) addressed the importance of recognizing women veterans.

"Women have played a vital role in the military since the American Revolution," Fairchild said. "Many female military foundation builders continue to go unrecognized. Women have served around the globe and lost their lives. They must be remembered and not remain invisible. I want to give credit to women veterans and commend the Woman's Club for honoring these heroes."

U.S. Air Force Veteran Lynn Nickell, who served in Korea, also commended local civic clubs for their efforts to pay tribute to veterans.

The Woman's Club and the Kiwanis Club have helped make Morgan County the jewel of Eastern Kentucky," Nickell said. "The women's military memorial is one of a kind in the United States. It is amazing that a small community could accomplish this feat in such a short period of time.

"Consider this message painted on a sign outside a British military cemetery in India: 'When you go home, tell them and say: For your tomorrow, we gave our today,'" Nickell concluded.

Before the monument unveiling, sculptor Stephen Tirone, Morehead State University professor of art and United States Marine Corps veteran, discussed his vision for the three-statue bronze memorial.

"I have worked for the past year to make the Woman's Club dreams come true," Tirone said. "It was a demanding project that pushed me hard. The three statues represent past, present and future of women in the military. It was a great honor to help the Woman's Club salute our military women."

Statue model and veteran Rachael Griffits, of Morehead, was in attendance. Morehead State University ROTC member Ashley Carroll, of West Liberty, also served as a statue model.

The program concluded with a musical performance by the Chamber Winds, the West Virginia 249th Army National Guard Band.

The following veterans attended the ceremony:

Merle Nickell, of West Liberty; Steve Gavalchik, of West Liberty; James Benton, of West Liberty; Lynn Nickell, of West Liberty; Dan Hittepole, of West Liberty; Carroll Ballinger, of West Liberty; Daniel Ball, of West Liberty; Wayne Ball, of West Liberty; Ronald D. Keeton, of West Liberty; Ken Hamilton, of Betsy Lane, Ky.; Jackie Conn; Carmen Menting, of Cub Run, Ky.; Jim Turpin, of Frankfort, Ky.;

Michael J. Menting, of Cub Run, Ky.; Rachael Griffits, of Morehead, Ky.; Samuel Long, of West Liberty; Callis Keeton, of West Liberty; Tim McCoy Jr., of Catlettsburg, Ky.; Ben Elam, of West Liberty; James Easterling, of West Liberty; Gerald Bodeker, of West Liberty; Verna D. Fairchild; Byrnes Fairchild; J.B. Spencer, of Ezel; Lisa L. Redding, of West Liberty;

Jim Rupe, of West Liberty; Dorsie Franklin, of West Liberty; Stephen Tirone, of Clearfield, Ky.; Lon D. Sheets, of West Liberty; Vaughda Wooten, of Sandy Hook, Ky.; Hubert Puckett, of West Liberty; Byron E. May, of West Liberty; Bob Jones, of Hazel Green, Ky.; Jack Howard, of Ezel; John Oldfield, of Ezel; H.A. Wallace, of West Liberty; J.C. Stamper, of Ezel; D.J. Buschman, of Morehead, Ky.;

George Pilgrim, of Campton, Ky.; Connie Buschman, of Morehead, Ky.; James P. Ison, of West Liberty; Callis Keeton, of West Liberty; Terry Caudill, of Morehead, Ky.; Billy L. Whitt, of West Liberty; Willard Harper, of West Liberty; Gary L. Wright, of Havelock, N.C.; Howard B. Elam, of West Liberty; John David Lewis, of West Liberty; Lawrence R. French, of

U.S. Air Force Major General Verna Fairchild (Ret.) commended the Woman's Club for recognizing women veterans.

Veteran and Morgan County ARH employee Lisa Redding spoke about the evolving roles of women in the military.

Morgan County Woman's Club President Brenda Jones.

Veteran Lynn Nickell spoke to the crowd.

Judge Executive Tim Conley.

Mayor Jim Rupe.

Rachael Griffits, of Morehead, served as a model for the Women's Military Monument.

Monument sculptor Stephen Tirone is a U.S. Marine Corps veteran.

Veterans J.C. Stamper and Jack Howard placed memorial wreaths.

Veterans Wayne Ball, Callis Keeton and Lon Dale Sheets placed memorial wreaths.

Attention, Candidates!

If you're interested in keeping your election campaign fresh in the public's eye at a nominal cost, here's an economical way to do it. Don't let your candidacy be overlooked. Include your NAME along with the OFFICE you are running for in a place where it is certain to be noticed—in The Licking Valley Courier. The list of candidates who have officially filed for office (shown here in reduced format) will be printed in each week's issue of The Courier. After you have officially filed as a candidate, simply drop by The Courier office and place your name and the office for which you are running in the list of official candidates for office in Morgan County. The list will be printed two columns in width and will appear prominently in each issue of The Licking Valley Courier until the primary election on May 18, 2010.

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Pathways to now offering variety of Autism services

Pathways, Inc., a nonprofit community behavioral health center, is now offering a comprehensive array of autism disorder services. Services include assessment and diagnosis, case management, respite services, day habilitation, supported living and employment services, behavior sciences, medication therapy and various counseling services.

The services are being offered as a result of input gathered from parents and other caregivers of individuals with autism spectrum disorders at two forums held in March of this year and sponsored by the Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD) Task Force. Parents and caregivers expressed concern about lack of services and having to travel up to three hours for services. Despite recent budget cuts, the ASD Task Force designated development of these services a priority.

Autism is a brain development disorder characterized by impaired social interaction and communication, and by restricted and repetitive behavior. Autism spectrum disorders also include related conditions with milder signs and symptoms. Behaviors usually present before three years of age and there is no single known cause for autism. Early behavioral or cognitive intervention can help children can self-care, social and communication skills.

"The incidence of autism is approximately one of our every 91 births, and is four to five times more prevalent in males than females," said Stacy Figley, program manager and counselor with Pathways. "Response to the forums indicates a real need for diagnostic and treatment services in our area."

Although there is no cure for autism spectral disorder, there are therapies and behavioral interventions designed to remedy specific symptoms and bring about substantial improvement. Most behavioral care professionals agree that the ideal treatment plan is specific to the needs of individual children and that the earlier the intervention, the better.

Pathways will offer assessment and diagnostic services in Boyd County and Bath County and other autism spectral disorder services throughout the region – Bath, Boyd, Carter, Elliott, Greenup, Lawrence, Menifee, Montgomery, Morgan and Rowan counties.

For more information about the Autism Spectrum Disorder services, contact Stacy Figley at 606-329-8588, extension 4093.

Rep. Stacy and other House members push for coal jobs

FRANKFORT. Ky. Nov. 4 — Rep. John Will Stacy and 20 other members of the House Democratic Caucus sent a letter to Gov. Steve Beshear and the commonwealth's Congressional delegation urging their leadership for an improved and streamlined mine permitting process.

"Coal is the backbone of Kentucky's economy," said Stacy, D-West Liberty. "It provides thousands of jobs in the mining sector, and the cheap electricity it provides keeps the rest of the state competitive for every type of job imaginable. The millions of dollars coal provides would be threatened if the EPA puts mine permits in peril."

The Environmental Protection Agency recently subjected 49 pending coal mine permits to an indefinite and undefined "enhanced review" process, endangering thousands of mining jobs despite the struggling economy.

"We have a robust permitting process in place that has worked for more than 30 years," Stacy said. "The result has been an industry that is more dedicated to clean air, clean water, and god-paying jobs than at any time in history. "This is not the time to let bureaucrats in Washington meet behind closed doors to destroy Kentuckians' way of life."

The letter from state lawmakers in Eastern Kentucky, Western Kentucky, and the Bluegrass, urges Kentucky's two federal senators, six federal representatives, and the governor to speak out for coal's benefits and push the EPA to eliminate unnecessary roadblocks to economic development.

"We need everyone working together to create a sustainable workforce, and that requires state and federal leaders speaking with one voice," Stacy said. "Coal is one of our most valuable resources, and we can't ignore it if we want to create a stronger economy and build stronger families."

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Christmas Fest being revived

After a hiatus of a couple of years, the West Liberty-Morgan County Old Fashion Community Christmas Festival will be revived this year on Friday and Saturday, Dec. 4 and 5.

Several activities are already planned, including open house by merchants, a Christmas bazaar, photos with Santa, a Christmas auction, teen dance, a concert by the Appalachian Troubadours, sleigh rides, and a chili supper.

A Christmas Parade also is planned.

A complete schedule of events is being prepared for publication. If your organization is planning an activity on these dates or during the holiday season and you would like to have it listed on the schedule of events, contact the Mayor's Office/Tourism at 743-3330, Morgan County Government/Recreation Commission at 743-3897, or the West Liberty Kiwanis Club at 743-4415.

Turkey Bowl Corn Hole Tournament slated Sat., Nov. 28

The 3rd annual West Liberty Kiwanis Club Turkey Bowl Corn Hole Tournament is scheduled Saturday,, Nov. 28, at the Morgan County Community Center.

The double-elimination event will start at 6:00 p.m. and is open to participants of all ages. You must have a partner to enter.

The first place team will receive $100. The prize for second place will be $75, and the third place team will take home $50.

Entry fee is $20 per team.

A drawing will be held to determine opponents prior to the start. Registration will begin at 5:45 p.m. All entries must be signed up by 5:30 p.m.

For more information, call 696-743-4415, 606-794-0350, or 743-4995. All proceeds will benefit Kiwanis community projects.

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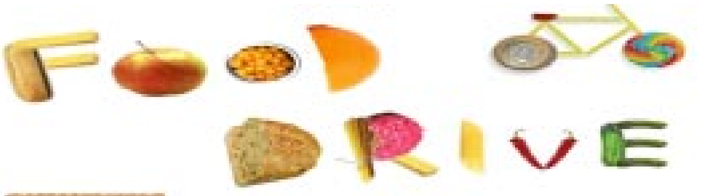

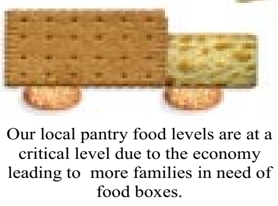

Our local pantry food levels are at a critical level due to the economy leading to more families in need of food boxes.

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Pamela Perry Rose (granddaughter of the late Mrs. Margaret Stacy) presents a photo of her grandmother to GFWC Morgan County Woman's Club member Wilma Ison.

Woman's Clb. refurbishing former Stacy residence

For years the Morgan County Woman's Club has tried to find a permanent meeting house in which to hold all the Women's History of Morgan County. Letters were written to the Stacy family a few years ago to try to buy the home of C. K. and Margaret Stacy, but a deal couldn't be reached.

When a decision was made to build a new Judicial facility on the lot of McKenzie's Shopwise and a possible attempt to tear down the Stacy house, Morgan County Judge Executive Tim Conley worked with the Stacy family to purchase the house on Prestonsburg Street for a medical transportation business.

When LKLP said they didn't need the whole house, the Woman's Club was asked to use the rest of the house for a Women's History Museum. We were elated!!! Plans are being made to refurbish the inside in a colonial atmosphere and place pictures of the Club Presidents as well as other memorabilia in the rooms for tourist to see. If you have any pictures or memories you would like to share, please contact the club at P. O. Box 52, West Liberty, Kentucky 41472, or President Brenda Jones

Because Mrs. Margaret Stacy was President of the Morgan County Woman's Club and Governor of the Eighth District in the early years of the club, and since the house was her home, Pam Rose presented the club with a portrait of Mrs. Stacy to hang over the fireplace.

Ms. Perry kept the clubwomen in stitches telling some big stories about her days in her Grandmother's home!

W. Lynn Nickell, Morgan County Historian, presented a picture of the home when it was first built by the Monroe Nickell family in 1939.

Written by MCWC Member, Wilma Ison

I SAID A PRAYER FOR YOU TODAY

I said a prayer for you today and know that God must heard. I felt the answer in my heart although He spoke no word! I didn't ask for wealth or fame I knew you wouldn't mind. I asked Him to send treasure's of a far more lasting kind. I asked that He'd be near you at the start of each new day, to grant you health and blessings and friends to share your way. I ask for happiness for you in all things great and small. But it was for His loving care I prayed the most of all.

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Purse snatching suspect caught on store's surveillance camera.

Police investigate purse snatching and break-in

West Liberty Police Department is currently investigating a Nov. 4 purse snatching that occured at West Liberty IGA.

The suspect, described as being of medium build with long dark brown hair, stole a black purse with a shoulder strap from a shopping cart in the store.

After the suspect left the store, she may have traveled west on U.S. 460 toward Ezel in a dark green 1990s model Pontiac Bonneville.

WLPD is also investigating a burglary that occured over the weekend at Gift Baskets Galore on Main Street.

Police said approximatey $90 was taken from a cash register. There was no sign of forced entry, though the door was open when employees came to work on Monday morning.

Anyone with information about these cases is urged to contact WLPD by calling 606-743-4385, or by visiting the website www.westlibertypd.com.

WEST LIBERTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

Nov. 1 - Nov. 7

• If you see or have information on any criminal activity, we ask that you call us at 606-743-4385. We **do not want** your name, but we do want your information.

• The West Liberty Police Department will conduct traffic safety checkpoints in addition to moving patrols through the remainder of 2009.

Cases/Investigations Opened

1 JC-3 domestic violence
1 assault (fourth degree domestic violence)
1 theft by unlawful taking under $500

Arrests

4 bench warrants
1 DUI
16 warrants for theft by deception

Citations issued – 23
Non-injury accidents – 3
Injury accidents — 0

E-911 Calls for Service

County Wide — 103
City — 54

Jonathan Cottle

Cottle completes training to become police dispatcher

West Liberty Police Department recently announced that Jonathan Cottle, 18, has completed the three-and-a-half-week Telecommunications Basic Academy and a one-week LINK/NCIC training through the Department of Criminal Justice Training, in Richmond, Ky., on Oct. 23. He is now WLPD's newest E-911 telecommunicator.

Jonathan is the 18-year-old son of Bobby Scott Cottle, of Cottle, Ky., and Marsha Cox, of Zag, Ky. He is a 2009 graduate of Morgan County High School and is pursing a degree in criminology at Morehead State University.

MSU offers online courses for nursing degree candidates

The Morehead State University Department of Imaging Sciences will offer online courses for those wishing to advance their nursing degree.

The courses will be available in the spring semester to all active and unrestricted licensed registered nurses. Those wishing to take the courses do not have to be officially admitted into the MSU nursing program to take the classes.

IMS 331 – Issues and Trends in Health Care Delivery Systems or RSCI 499C – 302 Senior Seminar in Radiologic Sciences are available online for the spring semester.

To register for the online courses, students must apply and be admitted to MSU. For more information on how to apply, visit www.moreheadstate.edu/admissions or call (800) 585-6781.

Applications are currently being accepted for the BSIS – LMI online program.

The application deadline for the fall 2010 semester is Friday, March 26. Late applications will be considered until the classes are filled.

Information about the online nursing courses is available by calling Misty Lilley, regional academic counseling coordinator for the MSU Department of Nursing, at (606) 783-2639; by e-mailing m.lilley@moreheadstate.edu; or visiting www.moreheadstate.edu/nursing on the Web.

Minnie Adkins guest speaker at String Along meet.

Folk artist, Minnie Adkins, of Isonville, was guest speaker at the Tuesday, Oct. 27, String Along Quilt Guild meeting. Recognized nationally and internationally for her artwork, Minnie spoke to the group about her successful folk art career that she began as a small child. Carving has always been a part of Minnie's life and through the years she has developed her talents into the renown artist that she is today. Those present very much enjoyed hearing her speak and seeing the artwork she brought to display during the meeting.

As a part of Minnie's presentation, she called for everyone to write their names on pieces of paper for a drawing on one of her handmade roosters. Josephine O'Neal was the lucky winner.

The meeting opened with President Libby Hammonds leading the group in the pledge to the American Flag.

Members answered roll call by sharing an old saying with the group. Show and Tell items were beautiful and included Courthouse Steps and other quilt blocks, Flower Garden, Lazy Woman, Shoo Fly, Pin Wheel, and Snail's Trail (Virginia Reel) quilts and quilt tops.

At the close of business, Linda Perry asked the blessing on a finger food and dessert buffet that included a variety of sandwiches, chips, dips, deviled eggs, veggies, cakes, cookies, candies, and soft drinks.

Those present were Sandi Adkins, Blanche Black, Maureen Elam, Myrtle Fannin, Libby Hammonds, Eleanor Holbrook, Carole Hoskins, Roberta Hutchinson, Anna Keeton, Sue Kinner, Vanessa Litton, Alane Nickell, Maudie Nickell, Josephine O'Neal, Linda Perry, Sharon Peyton, Sandra Tyree, Blondell Williams, Glois Williams, Emily Tyree, Dixie Stinson, Minnie Adkins, and Janie Collinsworth.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, Nov. 17, (one week early due to Thanksgiving), in West Liberty. For additional information call President Libby Hammonds, (606) 743-4322.

Learn about eBay at Nov. 17 workshop MSU at W. Liberty

Morehead State University at West Liberty's Small Business Development Center (SBDC) and Morgan County School's Community Education Program will host a workshop in November for those interested in learning more about eBay.

This course will introduce class participants to the basic concepts and components of setting up a business on eBay. Strategies and tips will be shared on how to go about selling successfully on eBay. Participants will walk through the step-by-step process of listing, selling, and then receiving payment for an item once it is sold. Resources will be provided that can help individuals develop their eBay business.

The free workshop will be held Tuesday, Nov. 17, from 5:00-8:30 p.m. at MSU's Regional Enterprise Center.

Training programs, sponsored or co-sponsored by SBDC, are available to all individuals without regard to race, color, sex, creed or national origin.

Additional information is available by calling the SBDC at (606) 743-4005 or the Morgan County School's Community Education Program at (606) 743-8082.

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AREA DEATHS

Betty Lou Pratt

Betty Lou Pratt, 63, died Monday, October 19, 2009.

Born in Butler County, Ohio, March 21, 1946, she moved with her family in 1947 to Kentucky.

A daughter of the late William Henry and Ora Halsey Pratt, Betty grew up on a farm in Eastern Kentucky raised by her mother.

She attended a one room school house on Upper Gilmore, and learned to read by kerosene light. Betty learned to cook on a wood stove. She did many chores that pertained to the farm such as chopping wood for the wood stove.

Betty worked in the tobacco fields when she was a young girl, plus helped her mother raise a huge garden and preserve food for the year.

She moved back to the home place in Wolfe County, Kentucky after she retired from Sam's Club. She loved the country living and the beautiful hills that surrounded her. She came back to Michigan so her sister, Roberta, could take care of her. She loved her sister, Lillie, and all the great food that she cooked for her, and all the neighbors that helped during her illness.

A great thanks to Mr. Robert Banks who took her to her appointments, Linda and Gary Banks and Kim and Fred on Rush Fork.

Betty enlisted into the Marine Corp and served her country with pride during the Vietnam Era. She worked as a meat clerk for forty years, working for several different companies, retiring from Sam's Club. She was also a great sports fan, and followed the Red Wings, Basketball and the Detroit Lions. Betty loved country music and animals, her favorite singer was Johnny Cash, and she adored her dog, Cody.

Betty left behind her sisters, Angeline McCrary, of Southgate, Michigan, Lillie and Walsh Williamson, of Wolfe County, Roberta and Gerhardt Schuette, of Kenockee, Michigan; sisters-in-law, Vena Pratt and Alteha Pratt; many nieces and nephews; grand nieces and grand nephews that she really loved.

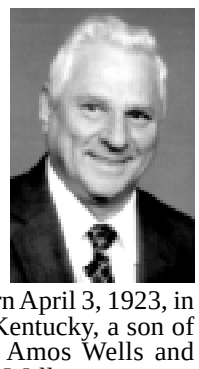
In addition to her parents, Betty was preceded in death by her brothers, Oliver Pratt, Willard Pratt, James C. Pratt, William Henry Pratt, Carl David Pratt; a sister, Fannie Jewel Pratt; brother-in-law, Donald McCrary; and nephew, Charles Preston Brooks.

Betty will be greatly missed by all her family and friends who loved her.

A special thanks to Richard and Patt, Veronica and Juan, Janice for all the help they gave during Betty's illness. Also her family and friends at Sam's Club in Canton, Michigan. I would like to express many thanks to the nurses and staff of the Medilodge Of Yale for the dedication and kindness and the care that was given to Betty during her stay.

Betty's remains are being taken back to Kentucky to be buried in the Pratt Cemetery. A memorial service will be held at Porter and Son Funeral Directors, in Campton, on Saturday, Nov. 7, at 1 p.m. Visitation will be held at 11:30 a.m. until time of service on Saturday, Nov. 7. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions were suggested to Disabled Veterans of the Harper Karmanos Center.

Elbert Lee Wells



Elbert Lee Wells, 86, of Middletown, Ohio, died Tuesday, Nov. 3, 2009, in Kensington Place, Middletown, Ohio.

He was born April 3, 1923, in Lee County, Kentucky, a son of the late John Amos Wells and Stella Nickell Wells.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one son, Elbert Lee Wells, Jr.; one sister, Erma Thomas; and two brothers, Elwood Wells and Raymond Wells.

He was retired from Armco Steel, in Middletown, Ohio, and served in World War II in the Army Air Force.

Survivors include his wife, Juanita King Wells, of Middletown, Ohio; two daughters, Joy and Robert Kinner, of Middletown, Ohio, and Donna and Garrie Stamper, of Ezel; four sons, John and Maggie Wells, of Spring Valley California, Ray and Stephanie Wells, and Jeff and Kathy Wells, both of Middletown, and Tim and Patricia Wells, of Carlisle, Ohio; three sisters, Thelma Allen, of Nashville, Tennessee, Jewel Spicer, of Columbus Ohio, Linda Cole, of Middletown, Ohio; two brothers, Norvin Wells, of Dayton, Ohio, and Loren Wells, of Middletown, Ohio; 13 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 12:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 6, Woodside Cemetery Chapel, in Middletown, Ohio, with burial following in Woodside Cemetery, Middletown, Ohio, with Herald and Stewart and Halsey Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Send memorial condolences: www.heraldstewarthalseyfh.com

MONDAY DEADLINE FOR NEWS ADS

News items and advertising for publication in The Licking Valley Courier should be submitted by Friday of the preceding week and must be in our office before noon on Monday.

Delilah Perry

Delilah Naomia Roach Perry, 55, of Frenchburg, died Wednesday, Nov. 4, 2009, at her home after an extended illness.

She was born June 6, 1954, in Ohio, a daughter of the late Calvin Roach and Almyria Tucker Roach.

She was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ, Clearfield, and was a homemaker, a loving wife, mother and grandmother.

Survivors include her husband, Jimmy Perry, of Frenchburg; three children, Jamey Dale Perry and Corey Alexander Perry, both of Frenchburg, Shannon Lynn Isaac, of Mt. Sterling; three grandchildren, Anastasia Belle Perry, Emma Amelia Isaac and Ethan James Isaac; one sister, Rebecca Rowe, of Means; two brothers, Calvin Lee Roach and Larry Roach, of Frenchburg.

Funeral services were conducted at 10:30 a.m. Friday, Nov. 6, at Bethel Baptist Church, in Frenchburg, with Pastor Paris Ferguson officiating. Burial followed in Ginter Cemetery, at Leatherwood, with Menifee Home For Funerals, of Frenchburg, in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Andy Roach, Keith Roach, Jessie Perry, Terry Wayne Perry, Jerry Perry, and J.D. Perry.

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Chester G. Ingram

Chester Grant Ingram, 65, of Wellington, died Tuesday, Nov. 3, 2009, in the V.A. Hospital, Lexington, after an extended illness.

He was born July 21, 1944, in Menifee County, Kentucky, a son of the late Earl Ingram and Bertha Patrick Ingram.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two brothers, Charles and Rusty Ingram; and three sisters, Carrie Townsend, Shirley Rhienbolt, and Dorothy Wells.

He was a member of the House Of Prayer, Hwy. 746, Campton, and retired from the Menifee County Maintenance Department. He served in the U.S. Army.

Survivors include one son, Daniel Grant and Suzanne Ingram, of Bradenton, Florida; one daughter, Tammy Ingram, of Wellington; six grandchildren, Michael Painter, Stephanie Painter, Faith Little, Megan Little, Christian Ingram, Joshua Ingram; one great granddaughter, Kyleigh Painter.

Funeral services were conducted at 2:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 6, at the First Church of God, in Frenchburg, with Rev. Gary Mayabb officiating. Burial followed in the Ingram Family Cemetery, at Wellington, with Menifee Home for Funerals, of Frenchburg, in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were friends and family.

Military graveside services were conducted by Morgan County D.A.V. Chapter #132.

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Maxine H. Powell

Maxine Hanes Powell, 81, of Wellington, died Saturday, Nov. 7, 2009, at St. Claire Regional Medical Center, in Morehead, following an extended illness.

She was born Nov. 17, 1927, in Franklin, Ohio, a daughter of the late Willie Estal Hanes and Anna Pieratt Hanes.

Maxine was a member of Big Woods Community Church, at Wellington, and was retired from General Motors.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Vernon Smith; a daughter, Mary Ann Smith; one son, Micky Smith; a grandson, Sean Moore; and a sister, Myrtle Wallace.

Survivors include three sons, Vernon Joe Smith, Mike Smith, and Chris Goodman, all of Wellington; two sisters, Geneva Dougherty, of West Virginia, Evelyn Ellenburg, of Ohio; three brothers, Ray Hanes, Sonny Hanes, and Tommy Hanes, all of Ohio; 5 grandchildren and several great grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 10, at Big Woods Community Church, at Wellington, with Menifee Home For Funerals, of Frenchburg, in charge of arrangements.

Send memorial condolences: www.menifeehomeforfunerals.com.

Richard E. Lacy

Richard E. "Dick" Lacy, 91, of Farmersville, Ohio, died Thursday, Nov. 5, 2009.

Dick was born June 1, 1918, at White Oak, Kentucky, a son of the late Ollie and Fleta Ann Little Lacy.

He was an Army veteran of World War II, serving in the pacific Theatre. He retired as a suprintendent in 1984, from the Ohio Department of Transportation, after 24 years of service; and was a member of Farmersville United Church of Christ.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, Richard W. Lacy, in 1997; his sister, Anna Clay Preston, in 2007; and his brother, Paul Lacy, in 1965.

He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Louise (Hager) Lacy; his son, Dirschl C. (Karen) Lacy, of Littleton, Colorado; and daughter-in-law, Barbara Lacy, of Farmersville, Ohio; three grandchildren, Kelly Lacy, of Farmersville, Ohio, Krystal (Abe) McNutt, of Germantown, Ohio, and David Paul Lacy, of Denver, Colorado.

Funeral services were conducted at noon Monday, Nov. 9, at Dalton Funeral Home, in Germantown, Ohio, with Pastor Susan Hartman officiating. Burial followed in Holp cemetery, at Farmersville, Ohio with Dalton Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Memorial contributions were suggested to Farmersville United Church of Christ or the Farmersville Fire and Rescue Association.

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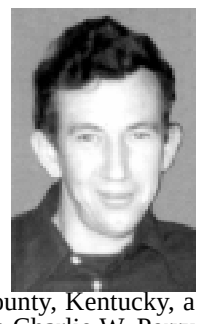
Billy Prater currently resides at HC 81, Sandy Hook, Ky.

Burlin Perry



Henry Burlin Perry, 73, of Hwy. 1161, West Liberty, died Friday, Nov. 6, 2009, at his home.

He was born November 22, 1935, in Morgan County, Kentucky, a son of the late Charlie W. Perry and Rachell (Perry) Perry.

He was a member of the Enterprise Baptist Church, a retired farmer and construction worker.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Naomi Prater Perry; two sisters, Edith Caskey and Wanda Shaver; and four brothers, Lenville, Flavis, Clavis, and Ronald Perry.

Survivors include two sisters, Ruth and Charles Bartlett, of Paris, and Brenda and Leon Russell, of West Liberty; two brothers, Darrell B. and Mae Perry, of Aberdeen, Ohio, and Owen Perry, of Paris; and a host of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday, Nov. 9, at Herald and Stewart and Halsey Chapel, with Bro. Joe O. Jenkins and Bro. Cortis Ison officiating. Burial followed in the Perry Cemetery, at Pomp, with Herald and Stewart and Halsey Funeral Home, of West Liberty, in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were family and friends.

Della Howard

Della Howard, 84, of Fairborn, Ohio, died Sunday, Nov. 8, 2009, at the Otterbein Retirement Community, Lebanon, Ohio.

She was born January 24, 1925, in Magoffin County, Kentucky, the daughter of the late Acie and Cinda Hensley Howard.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Lonnie; a daughter, Bernice Hender; son-in-law, Gale Bowden; two brothers and two sisters.

Survivors include two sons, Seldon (Margie) Howard, of Morrow, Ohio, Ronnie (Debbie) Howard, of Springboro, Ohio; two daughters, Alice (James) Mooney, of Palm Bay, Florida, Pauline Bowden, of New Carlisle, Ohio; 11 grandchildren; 12 great grandchildren; 3 great, great grandchldren; a sister, Pearl Elam, of Salyersville; as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral services conducted at 1 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 12, (today) at Belton-Stroup Funeral Home, 422 E. Dayton-Yellow Springs Road, Fairborn, Ohio, with Pastor James Conley officiating. The family will receive friends from 11 a.m. until the time of services.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions be made to Otterbein Retirement Community, 580 N. State Route 741, Lebanon, Ohio 45036. Condolences may be made to the family at www.BeltonStroup.com.

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Brushy Fork Church, Caney, Ky. Services fourth Saturday at 1:00 pm and fourth Sunday at 10:00 am each month. Hobert Dunn, pastor.

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Faith Baptist Church, Caney, KY 41402, phone 743-4966, parsonage phone 768-2415. Bro. Mick Harden, pastor. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday disciples group training service 5:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday night mission friends, GA's, acteen's RA's, adult Bible study 6:00 pm.

Old Grassy Christian Church, US-460, Mize, KY 41352. Carl Roller, pastor. Sunday morning 11:00 am.

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Redeemed Old Regular Baptist Church, Caney, KY. Elder Roy Collett, pastor. Services third weekend of each month. Saturday 6:30 pm. Sunday 9:30 am.

Wells Chapel Church Of God, Stacy Fork, KY. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 6:00 pm. Everyone welcome.

Wells Creek Enterprise Baptist Church, Sunday School 10:00 am; Worship Service 11:00 am every Sunday. Every second Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Joe Gilliam, pastor. Ruley Wagoner, assistant pastor.

Union Enterprise Church, Williams Creek, KY. Sunday School 9:30 am to 10:30 am every Sunday morning. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. First Saturday and Sunday each month. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Tivis Ison, pastor, welcomes everyone.

Walnut Grove Community Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening prayer service 7:00 pm. Scott Litton, pastor. Eddie Keeton, assistant pastor.

Sandy Hook First Baptist Church, phone 738-6320. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm.

Mize Community Church, 1 mile west of Mize, KY. John Oldfield Jr., pastor, 1176 Hwy. 946, Ezel, KY 41425, phone 606-725-5622. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm.

Old Time Religion Church, 1957 Flat-Mary Rd., Campton, KY 41301. Douglas Dunn, pastor, phone 668-9168.

Daysboro Church Of Christ, Daysboro, KY, phone 743-3906. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 6:30 pm. David Hinton, pastor

Watson Enterprise Baptist Church, HC 75, Sandy Hook, KY. Larry Dale Ison, pastor. Mike Gilliam, assistant pastor. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am.

Campton Church Of Christ, Rt. 35, Box 405, Campton, KY 41301, phone 668-6531.

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Rocky Branch Full Gospel Church Of God, 3 miles north of Campton on KY-746. Sunday morning 10:00 am. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Denzil Lykins, pastor, phone 668-3643.

Torrent Church Of God, 1432 N KY-11, Zachariah, KY. Sunday School, 10:00 am, Sunday morning, 11:00 am, Sunday evening, 6:30 pm, Wednesday Bible Study, 7:00 pm. Rev.Marvin Hobbs, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Bethany Baptist Church, War Creek, KY. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Every Sunday. Every third Saturday of each month Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Rick Pelfrey, pastor.

Stark United Methodist Church, Sunday morning 9:30 am. Sunday School 10:30 am. Friday youth group 7:00 pm. Friday adult Bible study 7:00 pm. Warren Vanover, pastor.

Ezel United Presbyterian Church, Ezel, KY 41425, phone 725-4215. Sunday morning 10:00 am. All ages welcome.

Cannel City First Church Of God, Cannel City, KY, phone 743-7395. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday evening 6:30 pm. Everyone welcome.

Zag Community Church, located 1 mile off KY-519 on KY- 976. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 7:00 pm. Rev. Donald Cox, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Index Community Church, Rt. 1 Box 210, West Liberty, KY 41472 (intersection KY-191 & US-460), phone 743-4733. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday youth hour 6:30 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Rev. Mike Frisby, pastor. Eddy Dennison, assistant pastor.

Sandy Hook United Methodist Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 7:00 pm. Rev. Warren Vanover, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Red River Community Church, Hazel Green, KY 41332, phone 662-6947. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday prayer service 7:00 pm. Rev. Charles Glover, pastor.

Prince Of Peace Catholic Church, 163 Pine Acres Drive just off Prestonsburg Street, West Liberty. Sunday Mass 9:00 am. Father Frank Brawner pastor. Phone 743-3266 office; 743-4817 rectory.

Wells Union Baptist Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Tuesday Bible study 6:00 pm. Jimmy Tharp, pastor.

Ophir Enterprise Baptist Church, approximately 10 miles up KY-1260 off KY-172. Services first Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Every third Sunday 11:00 am. Bro. Bobby Fultz, pastor. Bro. Ronnie Wright, assistant pastor. Everyone welcome.

Pleasant Run House Of Prayer, Yocum, KY. Sunday School 10:30 am. Sunday morning 1:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Raymond Barker, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Sulphur Springs Church, Crockett, KY, KY-172. Third weekend of each month and all odd weekends. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Bro. Chris Baldwin, pastor. Bro. Bob Williams, assistant pastor. Everyone welcome.

Pekin Pentecostal Church, Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 10:00 am, morning worship 11:00 am. Pastor Sammy Vancleave, 743-7255 Everyone invited.

West Liberty Christian Church, 304 Prestonsburg St. (corner of Prestonsburg and Court Street), phone (606) 743-4356, parsonage (606) 743-4355. Paul Casteel, minister. Matthew Riley, youth minister. Junior church and wee church 11:00 am. High school and middle school youth group Wednesday evening and Sunday evening 7:00 pm.

Ezel First Church Of God, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Youth group Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Youth church service third Sunday each month 7:00 pm.

Stillwater Holiness Church, 3-1/2 miles north of Campton on KY-191. Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Patricia Crider, pastor.

Bear Pen Worship Center, Sunday morning 10:45 am. Sunday School 6:30 pm. Wednesday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday youth meeting 6:30 pm. David Spencer, pastor. Phone 668-3351.

Blaze Community Church, Services Wednesday evening 7:00 pm; Sunday School 5:00 pm; Sunday evening worship 6:00 pm; pastor Vernon Dale Lewis and congregation invite everyone.

Calvary Baptist Church, KY-191, Cannel City, KY. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 5:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Harry B. Helton, pastor.

Campton Baptist Church, Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Pastor Gary Conner. Parsonage phone: 668-3499

Hazel Green Church Of God, KY-1010 East. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning and children's church 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Charlie Brewer, pastor, wife Wavelene Brewer.

Concord Enterprise Baptist Church, KY-32 eight miles west of Sandy Hook. Every fourth Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Every Sunday, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. Rev. Ricky Lewis, pastor.

West Liberty Church Of Christ, Sunday Bible study 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study for all ages 7:00 pm. Paul Balch, minister. Phone 743-2132.

Campton First Church Of God, Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 10:45 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm.

Laurel Gorge Enterprise Baptist Church, Youth services Friday 6:00 pm. Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. Rev. Bill Rice, pastor. Virgil F. Gillum, assistant pastor.

Full Gospel Tabernacle, Top of Slade Hill where Jesus is Alpha and Omega. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Rev. Ralph Banks, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Grassy Lick Baptist Church, Grassy Creek, KY 41352. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday evening Bible study 7:00 pm. Kenneth Gevedon, pastor. Vernon Stacy, assistant pastor. James Tyra, assistant pastor.

Quillens Church Of God, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Lester Spencer, pastor. Phone 668-6435.

Abundant Life Full Gospel Church, 849 Broadway St., West Liberty, KY. Phone 743-1549. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Bro. Donnie Wheeler, pastor.

Murphy Fork Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday worship 11:00 am. Sunday night 6:00 pm. Thursday night 7:00 pm.

Haven Of Hope, 364 Prestonsburg Street, West Liberty, KY 41472. Sunday School, 10:00 am. Sunday worship, 6:00 pm.

New Beginnings Church of God, off Hwy 519, Blevins Rd. Phone 606-743-1224. Sunday School 10:00 am, morning worship 11:00 am, Sunday evening 6:00 pm, Thursday 7:00 pm. Pastor Ruford Abner

Callaboose Community Church, Off KY-746 near Campton. Sunday morning 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Bro. Burt Combs, pastor.

West Liberty Mennonite Church, located off Circle Dr, Wells Hill. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Direl Fyffe, pastor emeritis. Elder James Fyffe, 743-1567. Elder Steve Stoltzfus, 743-4195.

Faith Hills Mennonite Church, KY-172, Crockett, KY 41413. Sunday morning 9:30 am. Sunday evening second and fourth Sunday each month 7:00 pm, the fourth Sunday being song service. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Everyone welcome.

West Liberty United Methodist Church, corner of Main and Prestonsburg St. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening Bible study 7:00 pm. Sunday night choir practice, 7:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. UMW first Tuesday each month. Rev. Ken Jett, pastor, phone 743-3519.

Trent First Church Of God, Rt. 1, Campton, KY 41301. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. David Stamper, pastor.

Christian Faith Church Of Freedom, Murphy Fork. Every Saturday evening 6:00 pm. Todd Kidd, pastor.

Woodsbend Community Church, KY-705 North. Phone (606) 743-3580. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Children's church 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening family night ministries 7:00 pm.

Assembly Of Faith Church, seven miles north of West Liberty on KY-519. Sunday morning Bible classes, 10:00 am. Sunday morning worship, 11:00 am. Power House kids church, 11:00 am. Sunday evening worship service, 6:00 pm. Ladies meeting, first Monday each month, 7:00 pm. Wednesday worship choir practice, 6:30 pm. Thursday worship service, 7:00 pm. Young adult service, 20, 30, 40 year olds, last Friday each month, 7:00 pm. Harold Davis, pastor. Phone 743-4555.

Campton United Methodist Church, phone 668-3229. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 10:55 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm choir 7:45 pm. Rev. James Doughton, pastor.

Isonville Primitive Baptist Church, Isonville, KY. Phone 738-5816. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Christopher K. Harper, pastor. Everyone welcome.

West Liberty First Baptist Church, Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Children's church 11:00 am nursery provided. Sunday evening youth group 6:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. David Cook, pastor. Phone 743-3722.

Bigwoods Community Church, HC 75, Wellington, KY. 40387. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible hour 7:00 pm. Phone 768-3456. Rev. Jess Brewer, pastor.

New Salem Church, Moon, KY. 1/4 mile off KY-172 on KY-1715. Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Bro. James Wallin, pastor. Bro. Kevin Williams, assistant pastor. Everyone welcome.

Lick Branch Enterprise Baptist Church, two miles off US-460 up Old KY-172. Every fourth weekend of each month. Saturday night business 6:30 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Every Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Bro. Joe O. Jenkins, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Neal Howards Creek Community Church, Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Every third Thursday ladies and men's meeting 7:00 pm. Dean Lewis, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Newcombe Valley First Enterprise Baptist Church, Isonville, KY. First Saturday each month 7:00 pm. Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 10:45 am. Ladies Bible study/prayer group Wednesday 1:00 pm. Mike Adkins, pastor. Darrell O'Hare, assistant pastor.

Tar Ridge Church Of God, Wolfe County. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 10:45 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Bro. Adam Hays, pastor.

New Hope Baptist Church, Gordon Ford. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Bro. George Oney, pastor.

Church Of Free Worship, Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 11:00 am. Sunday morning 12:00 noon. Stanley Rigsby, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Old 519 Full Gospel Church, Saturday evening 6:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm.

Tom's Branch Community Church, KY-772, West Liberty, KY. Sunday morning 11:00 am; Sunday evening Bible Study 7:00 pm; Thursday evening service 7:00 pm; every third Saturday evening fellowship dinner 5:00 pm and church service at 7:00 pm. Everyone welcome. Pastor Jeff Montgomery, Assistant Pastor Woody Bowman.

White Oak Christian Church Disciples Of Christ, White Oak, KY 41474, phone 743-4127. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am.

Ezel Church Of God, Ezel, KY 41425, phone 725-5721.

Lee City First Church Of God, Lee City, KY, phone 662-6221. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Rev. Stanley Burnett, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Centerville Community Church, Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Harry Flannery, pastor.

Vortex Pentecostal Church, Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Rev. Leonard Cole, pastor.

Grace Baptist Church, Malone, KY. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday discipleship training 5:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study 6:00 pm. Bro. Mike Lindon, pastor.

Redbush Enterprise Baptist Church, Redbush, KY. Second Saturday evening each month 6:00 pm. Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm every third Sunday. Bro. Gerald Fyffe, pastor.

Hope Enterprise Baptist Church, KY-650, Doctor's Branch, Sandy Hook, KY. Second Saturday evening each month 7:00 pm. Sunday service 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 pm. Keith Lyon, pastor. Everyone welcome!

Hilltop Apostolic Church, KY-7 past Bruin. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Darrell Gallihue, pastor.

Victory Christian Center, Elliott County on Blaine's Trace Road off KY-486. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. David Webb, pastor.

Sandfield Community Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study 6:30 pm. Mike Brooks, pastor. Harold Stamper, assistant pastor.

Bethany Community Church, Bethany, KY. Sunday School 9:30 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Daniel Wendell, pastor. Phone 668-3703.

Broadway First Church Of God, West Liberty, KY 41472, phone 743-3759. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday prayer meeting 6:30 pm. Bro. Jessie Rogers, pastor.

Lacy Creek Enterprise Baptist Church, Lacy Creek, KY. Second weekend each month. Saturday evening 6:30 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Every Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Bro. Tim Jenkins, pastor.

Apostolic Church Of Jesus Christ, Lytten, KY. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Denzil B. Fannin, pastor. Phone 738-6384.

Grassy Creek Pentecostal Church, Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Johnnie Davis, pastor.

Lacy Creek Church Of Christ, 2-1/2 miles off US-460 on KY-364, Cottle, KY. Phone 743-2380. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening youth service 6:00 pm. Thursday Bible study 7:00 pm. Jimmy Adkins, pastor, 743-3801. Elder lawrence Kersey, 743-3291. Elder Dan Hittepole, 743-3430. Elder Dr. James Frederick.

Words Of Encouragement Trinity Full Gospel Mission, Trace Branch, US-460, Magoffin County. Friday evening 7:30 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm.

Pine Grove Community Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Aaron Brooks, pastor.

Straight Creek Enterprise Baptist Church, Big Mandy Road off KY-650. Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Every Sunday morning 11:00 am. Cortis Ison, pastor.

Countryside Community Church, KY-134, Johnson Fork. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Bible trivia last Tuesday each month at 7:00 pm. Gospel singing fourth Friday at 7:00 pm. James Hinton, pastor, congregation well all. Phone 349-LORD.

Kernie Freewill Baptist Church, KY-134, Johnson Fork. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Butch Whitaker, pastor. Steve Arnett, assistant pastor.

Wallowhole Independent Baptist Church, Second Saturday evening each month 7:00 pm. Second Sunday morning each month 10:30 am. Every Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday prayer meeting 7:00 pm.

Spring Branch Baptist Church, 100 Spring Branch Rd., Campton, KY 41301. Pastor Ron Lucas, 606-668-9229. Sunday School, 10:00 am, Sunday morning worship, 11:00 am, Sunday night service, 6:00 pm, Wednesday night Bible Study, 7:00 pm.

Horton Flats Community Baptist Church, 1.6 miles off KY-7 on KY-3353, Horton Flats Road. Sunday School 9:30 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am.

Wrigley Baptist Mission, KY-7, Wrigley, KY. Sunday morning fellowship 9:45 am. Sunday School 10:00 am (classes for every age plus deaf class). Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 6:30 pm. Everyone welcome.

Fannin Enterprise Baptist Church, KY-557 (Ruin Road), Sandy Hook, KY. First Saturday evening each month at 7:00 pm. Every Sunday morning at 10:30 am. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. George Stafford pastor and Jason Ison assistant pastor.

Crockett Primitive Baptist Church, KY-706. Pastor Hershell Wright and Charlue T. Wright invite everyone to attend. Sunday School at 10:00 am. Sunday worship service at 11:00 am. Wednesday night fellowship at 7:00 pm.

Campton Christian Church, 312 Main St., Campton, KY 41301, phone 606-362-9277. Sunday morning 11:00 am; Tuesday Bible study, 6:30 pm. Minister: Will Cooper. Website: www.camptonchristianchurch.org

Saint John Baptist, Old KY 15, Pine Ridge, KY, Louise Lee Winchip Chapel. Sunday morning prayer 9:00 am; Holy Communion third Sunday. Wednesday evening prayer/Bible study 7:00 pm. Billy L. James, Senior Warden. 606-668-9030. Everyone welcome.

First Apostolic Church, Prestonsburg Street, West Liberty. Sunday School 10:00 am; Sunday worship 3:30 pm; Wednesday night worship 7:00 p.m.

Red Bush Enterprise Baptist Church, Red Bush, Ky., Rt. 172. Services second Saturday evening at 7:00 pm; weekly Sunday School at 10:00 am; Sunday morning service 11:00 am; Sunday evening services 6:00 pm every third Sunday. Pastor Mike Sparks. Assistant Pastor Chris Baldwin. Everyone welcome.

Crossroads Bapist Church, located at the intersection of Mountain Parkway, KY-191 and KY-205. Sunday School 10:00 am; Worship service 11:00 am; Sunday night worship 6:00 pm. Pastor Ray Fallen. Everyone welcome.

Emmanuel Family Church, Isonville, KY. Pastor: Ira Smith. Phone 738-4917. Services: Second Sunday each month at 11:00 am. Everyone welcome.

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Veterans, many of whom still suffer the ill effects of their injuries, regularly offer volunteer support and inspiration for each other. Though, in 1 Corinthians 12:25-26, Paul speaks about the body of believers, our body of veterans share this connection as well..."that the members may have the same care for one another. If one member suffers, all suffer together; if one member is honored, all rejoice together."

As we worship during this time of reflection, let us pray for our veterans and offer them and their families our support.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Exodus 35.1-29	Deuteronomy 26.1-19	Malachi 3.5-18	2 Corinthians 8.1-24	2 Corinthians 9.1-15	Psalm 46	Psalm 48

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By Alpha Clevenger

Nov. 9--Sympathy is extended to the family of Wendell Johnson. May God bless and comfort all his family. We've known them for years. My son used to rent a trailer up Spaws Creek a long time ago. They were good people.

Get well wishes to the sick and shutins. Sympathy to those who are bereaved.

Sympathy is extended to the Anna Ruth Harper family. I didn't know about her passing until I saw it in The Licking Valley Courier. I was saddened to hear about her. I've known her and her family for years. I always loved them as good friends and neighbors. She will be sadly missed. May God comfort all her family in their loss. Trust in the Lord and He will give you strength to bear your troubles and sorrow.

Joy came on Friday evening and stayed a while and ate supper with me. Good to have her visit me. I wish she could stay a week or two with me. After she leaves I miss her so much.

Barry came on Thursday morning and he hadn't ate breakfast so I cooked breakfast for him and he said it sure was good. he loves his mother's cooking. That's only natural I suppose.

Saturday, Nov. 7, the news came today about our neighbor, Burlin Perry, passing away. It was a shock to hear about his passing. His wife, Naomi, passed away a few months ago. He had lived alone since her passing. Some of his family came and helped him after she passed away. He had health problems and was in the hospital for a while sometime ago and improved and came back home. We've known him and all his family for years and they were my neighbors, and good ones, and would do anything for you and wouldn't take pay for what they had done. Sympathy is extended to all his family. May God bless each family member and comfort them in their loss.

Barry came on Saturday and raked leaves and ate lunch with me. He said he was going to stay all night with me. I told him that was fine with me and later Dempsey came and went deer hunting. He was the one that told me about Burlin perry passing away. We never know when our time is up and the Lord calls us home. The main thing is to be ready to go when He calls for us.

Today, Saturday, is such a beautiful, sunny day too.

Alpha was guest of Joy and family on Friday. They were fine and she came back home with me. So thankful for that. I've been praying for some Indian summer weather its been so nice. I'm sitting on the front porch writing and enjoying every minute of it. I dread the real cold weather, but we have to take it as it comes. I dread the heat bills during winter time. I wish I had a stokermatic heating stove. But of course they run by electric. If the electric goes off you don't have heat and that's what's good about gas heat. you never have to worry about not having heat in your home.

Tammy H. called today. Good to hear from her again.

How are you Jewell Lewis? I hope you re well. Call sometime.

How are you Sue Kinner? Hope you and Earl are enjoying this beautiful, sunny weather. I know I am. Wish it would stay this way, but we all know it won't last forever. I am settng here at the park writing and I have talke a walk after I finish writing. I've been looking at all the trees. The leaves are all gone just about. It makes me sorta sad to see them all off the trees. It was just recently they were all beautiful and colorful. Time made a change in them. Like the song says time has made a change in me. How true it is.

A lot of people are walking at the park today. Its such a beautiful day to walk. It sure makes a person feel better afterward. I know I do. I have taken walks for years. Each and every day. Its good for high blood pressure, your heart, diabetes, and so many other illnesses.

We've all heard about the swine flu and we hear its bad and so many have lost their lives, young people, children, older people, too. At any age groups can catch the flu. The best thing is to be ready to leave this world for a better place. There's so much sin going on and people don't think where they will spend eternity. Some people lives out their whole lives and never think about where thye will go after their life is over. Its sad to think about it. We haven't seen the worst yet, we know what has been but we don't know what's in the near future for us all.

The holidays are approaching fast. Thanksgiving is just around the corner and then Christmas. How times does fly. I haven't had a lot to write this time. Maybe the next time I'll have more. God bless you all.

Socials

Visiting Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Terry were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Terry and grandson, of Ashland, Darrell Terry, of Flatwoods, Mrs. Barbara Schirmer, of Cincinnati, Ohio, Mrs. Lois Nell Wilson, of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Terry, Phillip Terry, and Danny Terry, of West Liberty.

Elementary students enjoy stories by Miss Betty

West Liberty Elementary and East Valley Elementary students were entertained with delightful stories told by Betty Blanton in preparation for the Sorghum Festival. Betty, a very talented storyteller, tells stories about growing up in Morgan County and how important it is to remember our Appalachian culture. Students always look forward to hearing Betty talk about her childhood and school days. Thanks, Miss Betty, for visiting our libraries!!

Kellacey

By Sandra Carpenter-Conway

Nov. 9 — Tibits for this month: November is the 11th calender month in the year, the color is Topaz, and the flower is chrysanthemum.

Get well wishes go out to all the sick, and sympathy to all who have lost loved ones.

Perry and Sandra Conway were in Winchester on Saturday shopping and ate out at Captain D's. It was a very beautiful and warm day.

Our beautiful warm days will begin to be far and few between in the next

few months, so we need to make the most of what we get. Most all the fall leaves have fallen — they didn't last long this year due to having dry

weather, and when it rained it blew them all off.

Virginia G. Thompson phoned and spoke with Barbara Carpenter and Harold Goodpaster on Saturday, good to hear from her. She is recovering from a bad fall she had in October.

Also calling was Nell G. Gibson of Newark, Ohio. She is anxiously awaiting the arrival of twin great-grandchilden and another great-grandchild.

Hello to family in Newark,, Ohio, Donetta Cooper, Sharlene and Hoss, and Linda and husband.

Billy Lewis of Blaze has been under the weather. Hope you get to feeling well soon.

Visitors of Billy and Janice Lewis were Harold Goodpaster on Saturday Nov 6.

Gearld Goodpaster of West Liberty visited one day with Barbara Carpenter and Harold Goodpaster.

Gearld and Harold Goodpaster attended the sale and auction at Zag on Saturday.

I would like to send a Happy Birthday out to Lillian Fannin of Zag and wish her many more to come.

Also get well wishes go out to Cheyanna Wilder who has been under the weather.

November 11th was Veterans Day. Please honor our veterans for what they have

done for our country. They are the brave and true heros. And pray for those who were victims in the massacare in Fort Hood, Texas, where many lives were taken, and for the families of these heros.

A wish for a speedy recovery goes out to the daughter of Chris and Erica Lewis who had surgery recently.

Tamara Carpenter and Adam Tate of Mt. Sterling were at Peddlers Mall in Winchester recently.

Kristy Goodpaster visited overnight with her father, Harold, on Wednesday, Nov 4.

I have been watching the fall revival and telethon on WLJC for the past few weeks.

They have been having some really good preaching and singing. This is a really good program for the elderly and people who are home bound.

Venus Goodpaster's visitor this week was Harold Goodpaster. Venus remains the same. Harold also visited with Mary Long at the nursing home.

Get well wishes go out to Darrell Perry, husband of Fern Martin Perry, who underwent a medical procedure recently.

Mason Montgomery is still on the puny list, not feeling well. He is still experiencing bad spells at this time. Mason's sister, Molly Francis of Blue Creek, Ohio, came in on

Saturday and visited with Mason on Monday of last week. On Tuesday his other sister, Phyllis Beasley of Morral, Ohio, visited along with her sister, Molly, while Carolyn had to run some errands in Morehead.

Josh Montgomery visited with Grandpa Mason and did some work and ate dinner with him on Saturday morning. And another grandson, Patrick Montgomery, came over and went ATV riding. Later on Saturday night, Jeff and Lennie visited for a while.

Sunday guest of Mason and Carolyn were daughter, Jocelyn Bolin, and brother, Clyde Montgomery.

Carloyn Montgomery would like to send a belated happy birthday wish out to a good friend, Carole Hoskins of West Liberty, and a happy birthday to first cousin, Rachel Cantrell, on Nov 16.

This is all I have to report for this time. Be safe while on roadways, careful while out in public, wash hands, sanitize frequently, And thank God in Heaven for your freedom.

APPLE - RAISIN TOPPED HAM

1 (21 oz,) can applie pie filling
1/3 cup light raisins
1 - 1 1/2 lb. fully cooked ham sliced about 2-3/4 inches thick
1/3 cup orange juice
2 tbs. water
1 tbs. lemon juice
1/4 tsp. ground cinnamon

Combine pie filling, rasins, orange juice, water, lemon juice, and cinnamon. Cut ham slice into six equal pieces. Place meat and apple mixture in crockery pot by alternating layers of each, and ending with the apple mixture, cover and cook on low for 4-5 hours. Serve with rice if desired.

SENIOR CITIZENS MENU

Monday, Nov. 16--Baked ham, baked beans, cauliflower w/ cheese, wheat roll, margarine cup, milk, pineapple chunks.

Tuesday, Nov. 17--Beef stew, buttered peas, cole slaw, wheat roll, margarine cup, milk, ambrosia.

Wednesday, Nov. 18--Meatloaf, corn, green beans, whet bread, margarine cup, milk, tinted peas.

Thursday, Nov. 19--BBQ pork, brussell sprouts, tossed salad, wheat bread, apple crisp w/ raisins, milk.

Friday, Nov. 20--Chicken salad, three bean salad, sliced tomatoes, wheat roll, margarine cup, rice pudding, milk.

Lenox

By Estelle Caskey

Nov. 9--We extend our deepest sympathy to the Berlin Perry family and to all others who have lost loved ones.

Estelle and Louise Caskey were in Bowling Green, Ky. two days last week attending a Kentucky Bar Association seminar. While there, they had a nice visit with Asa "Pete" Gullett, III, son of Asa P. Gullett, Jr., a former high school classmate.

Mrs. Bernice Johnson and Mrs. Patty Shoop, of Dayton, Ohio, spent the weekend in West Liberty visiting with family and friends.

Mrs. Julia Johnson visited over the weekend with her sister and niece, Mrs. Bernice Johnson and Mrs. Patty Shoop.

Estelle and Louise Caskey visited on Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Ruby Caskey, Mrs. Bernice Craft, and Mrs. Viola Stevens at the West Liberty Nursing Home and Rehabilitation Center.

Mrs. Josephine O'Neal visited Sunday evening with Mrs. Anna Keeton.

Dr. Janet Ratliff, of Morehead, spent the weekend with friends in Gatlinburg, Tennessee.

Estelle and Louise Caskey visited with Mrs. Joyce Ferguson on Sunday.

Household (Health) Hints

• A mixture of papaya blended with oatmeal applied to the skin for 10 minutes and rinsed off is said to be a great exfoliant.

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• Medication taking is said to be made easier if a teaspoon of granulated sugar is swallowed first.

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• Relief of nausea caused by upset stomach is said to be relieved by chewing on a cinnamon stick or a piece of peppermint.

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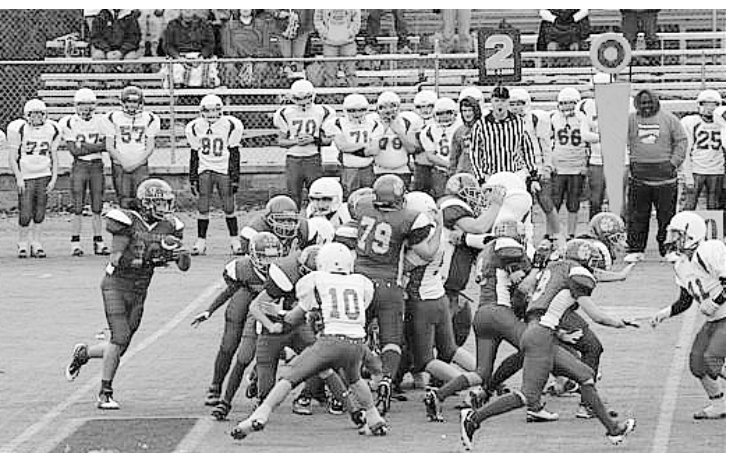
Morgan Middle School Football Cougars Finish as State Runners-Up



Austin Arnett is ready to power into the tight running lane opened up by his blockers, #8 Casey Ward, #9 Kody Thornsberry, #79 Michael Lacy, #75 Jonathan Crouch, and the kickout blocks of fullback Nick Adams and QB Mikey Whisman.

The serious looks of the Cougar coaches describe the moment perfectly.

Although unable to cheer as a squad in the first game, due to school dismissal for illness, many of the Cougar cheer squad made the trip to Lexington on their own to cheer the boys on!!

Cougars are exuberant as the final horn sounds. This win puts them in the state championship game.

Morgan and Gallattin players and coaches joining together to pray for the injured Gallattin player.
Photo by Stephanie Lacy

Pictured are Cougar Coach, Brian Turner, and the captains: Jonathan Crouch, Austin Arnett, Kody Thornsberry, and Mikey Whisman. Coach Easterling is in the foreground.

Cougar Freshman, Walker Crase, was honored at halftime of the Championship game for being selected to the FBU All-American team.

The Cougars arrived in Lexington on October 31 to play in the final four of middle school football with high expectations. After all, they had been in a state semi-finals game before; several of them as starters off the 2008 team that fell to Bluegrass MS. This season, the Cougars hoped to advance beyond the final four to the finals. To do this, they would have to defeat the Gallattin County Wildcats and the first-team All-State quarterback, Austin Chapman.

This game would prove to be a contrast in styles: Gallattin's wide open spread offense versus the bruising double wing attack of the Cougars. The two teams traded scores throughout the game, with neither defense seemingly able to stop the other team's offense. The score was 24-20 in favor of the Cougars going into the fourth quarter. Gallattin marched down the field and scored to take the lead at 26-24, with just under 6 minutes to go in the game. "I told one of the coaches on our sideline, that them scoring quickly was a good thing, because we could get the ball back and use the rest of the clock to score and win,", Coach Brian Turner recalled. Coach Easterling could be heard saying, "It's time for one of our signature, time consuming, 90-yard, double wing drives!"

It would take time, as the Cougars received the ensuing kickoff right around the ten yard line. The Cougars began their methodical march down the field, grinding out yardage and chewing up clock. On a Thornsberry run down to the five yard line, one of the Gallattin players fell injured. (The young man was taken to the hospital and later released). It took nearly twenty minutes to get an ambulance on the scene. Once play did resume there was just over a minute remaining, first and goal on the five yard line.

"We didn't want to score too quickly, but we didn't want to put our offense in a bad position, either," recalled Turner. The Cougars were able to score on an Austin Arnett run. Thornsberry followed with the PAT. The Cougars now led, 32-26. However, with Chapman's strong arm, the Wildcats were just one play away from scoring on any drive. The Cougars went to their prevent defense and held off Gallattin's final scoring drive attempt to win, 32-26, and advance to the state championship game.

The Morgan County Middle School Cougars finished their remarkable season on November 1 at Lexington, falling to Meece Middle School of Somerset in the state championship game. The Cougars ended with a 13-2 record, and the pride of finishing higher than any team, in any sport in Morgan County sports history. "The game on Saturday was very tough and it took its toll on our kids. I think we exerted so much energy and emotion to get that win, that, we just couldn't bounce back quickly enough to be ready for Meece, who had a relatively easy time in their semi-finals game," stated Turner.

The Cougars fought hard on their way to a State Runner-Up finish. This great season brings the Middle School varsity football record over a two year span to 29-3. They were led by coaches John Brown, Joe Curd, Mark Easterling, John Fugate, Mark Havens, Mike Muse, Will Noble, Brian Turner, and Chris Whisman. Cougars, Austin Arnett, Jonathan Crouch, and Kody Thornsberry were selected to the first team All-State. Those three and Corey Muse were also selected to play in the first ever East-West Kentucky Middle School All-Star football game, which will be played in Frankfort on Nov. 27.

Cougars kneel for final time this season and have their team prayer.

Cougar cheer squad showing great spirit as always.

Coach Noble having fun at the celebration dinner.

Kaleb Cummings makes tackle in state championship game versus Meece.

Cougar cheer squad on Championship Game Day!

Coach mike Muse has done a fine job handling the defensive play-calling for the Cougars this season.

Kody Thornsberry and Austin Arnett receive medals for being selected player of the game in earlier playoff rounds.

The Wildcats are fooled as Kody Thornsberry runs away on a beautiful mis-direction play!

Dejected, yet proud, Coach Turner accepts the runner-up trophy on behalf of the Cougar team.

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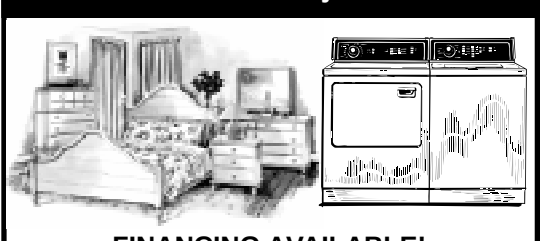

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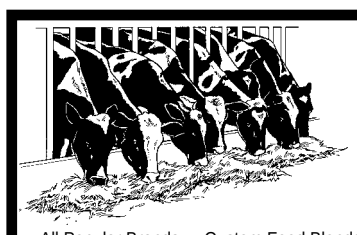

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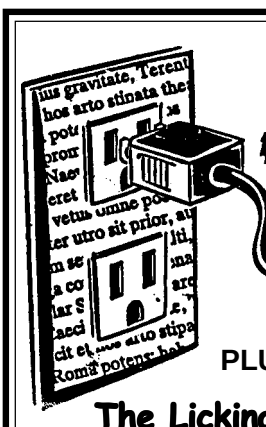

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FRIDAY EVENING — November 13

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	Law & Order [cc]		Dateline NBC [cc]		Jay Leno Show		News	Tonight
CBS 4	News	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	Ghost Whisperer		Medium [cc]		NUMB3RS [cc]		News	Late
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Office	Supernanny [cc]		Ugly Betty [cc]		20/20 [cc]		News	Night-
PBS 7	BBC	Busi-	News-Lehrer		Com-	Group	Wash	NOW	Bill Moyers		BBC	Ky Life
NBC 8	News	NBC	Inside	Holly-	Law & Order [cc]		Dateline NBC [cc]		Jay Leno Show		News	Tonight
WGN 9	Becker	Becker	Home Videos		★★½ Ronin (1998) [cc]					Videos	Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	Deal No	Deal No	Two	Two	House [cc]		Bones [cc]		News		Simp-	Fam
CBS 12	News	CBS	Griffith	King	Ghost Whisperer		Medium [cc]		NUMB3RS [cc]		News	Sports
TBS 13	Seinfeld	Office	Name	Name	★★★★ The Wizard of Oz (1939) [cc]				★★ RV (2006) [cc]			
ENC 14	★★ Wildcats (1986) [cc]				★½ Armageddon (1998) [cc]					★ 88 Minutes (2007) [cc]		
FAM 15	Fresh Pr	Fresh Pr	Home Videos		★★½ Annie (1982) [cc]						The 700 Club [cc]	
LIFE 16	Grey's Anatomy		Grey's Anatomy		DietTribe [cc]		Project Runway [cc]		Project Runway [cc]		Models	Will
A&E 17	The First 48 [cc]		Criminal Minds [cc]		Criminal Minds [cc]		Criminal Minds [cc]		Criminal Minds [cc]		CSI: Miami [cc]	
SHOW 19	Superhero Movie		Inside the NFL [cc]		Nurse	Weeds	Californ	Californ	Dexter [cc]		Inside the NFL [cc]	
DISN 20	Suite	Suite	Suite	Suite	Wizards	Suite	Phineas	Phineas	Wizards	Mon-	Phineas	Raven
MAX 21	Young-	The Time Machine			★½ 10,000 B.C. (2008) [cc]				★★½ Eagle Eye (2008) [cc]			
HBO 22	★½	Meet the Spartans			24/7	24/7	Pac-	Pac-	★★ The Ruins (2008) [cc]			Cat-
AMC 24	★★½ Demolition Man (1993) Cont'd				★★★ Mad Max (1979)				Mad Max 2: The Road Warrior			
USA 25	NCIS [cc]		★★ The Game Plan (2007) [cc]				Monk [cc]		White Collar [cc]		Burn Notice [cc]	
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	Dirty Jobs [cc]		Dirty Jobs: Bite		Lobstermen [cc]		Giant Squid		Dirty Jobs: Bite	
ESPN 27	SportsCenter [cc]			NBA	NBA Basketball: Atlanta Hawks at Boston Celtics				NBA Basketball			
TNT 32	Law & Order [cc]		Bones [cc]		Bones [cc]		★★½ The Longest Yard (2005) [cc]					Long-
SYFY 33	Stargate SG-1 [cc]		Sanctuary [cc]		Stargate Universe		Stargate Universe		Sanctuary [cc]		Stargate Universe	

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SATURDAY EVENING — November 14

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	WSAZ	Cash	Mercy [cc]		Law & Order [cc]		Law & Order: SVU		News	SNL
CBS 4	College Football		Fortune	Basket-	NCIS [cc]		CSI: NY [cc]		48 Hours Mystery		News	Paid
ABC 6	Football		News	Office	College Football: Teams TBA							WWE
PBS 7	Lawrence Welk		Louis-	Red	Ky Life	Ken-	★★½ Big Jake (1971) [cc]				Austin City Limits	
NBC 8	News	NBC	Storms	Paid	Mercy [cc]		Law & Order [cc]		Law & Order: SVU		News	SNL
WGN 9	Bones [cc]		Bones [cc]		★★★ Casanova (2005) [cc]				Home Videos		Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Two	Two	Cops [cc]	Cops [cc]	Most Wanted		News		Wanda Sykes	
CBS 12	College Football		Paid	Basket-	NCIS [cc]		CSI: NY [cc]		48 Hours Mystery		News	Paid
TBS 13	★★ RV (2006) [cc]				★★★★ The Wizard of Oz (1939) [cc]				★★ Yours, Mine & Ours (2005) [cc]			
ENC 14	★★★ Mrs. Doubtfire (1993) [cc] Cont'd				★★½ Bring It On (2000) [cc]		★½ The Waterboy (1998) [cc]					Double
FAM 15	★★½ Nanny McPhee (2005) [cc]				Charlie and the Chocolate Factory					The Wedding Singer		
LIFE 16	Then She Fnd		★½ Georgia Rule (2007) [cc]				★★ The Break-Up (2006) [cc]				Project Runway [cc]	
A&E 17	Exec. Decision		Criminal Minds [cc]		Criminal Minds [cc]		Criminal Minds [cc]		Criminal Minds [cc]		CSI: Miami [cc]	
SHOW 19	Great Debaters		Inside the NFL [cc]		Dexter [cc]		The Amateurs (2005)			Promo	Good Luck Chk	
DISN 20	Suite	Suite	Finn on the Fly (2008)				★★ Underdog (2007)			Mon-	Wizards	Raven
MAX 21	Marked	★★ The Uninvited (2009) [cc]			★★ Hitman (2007) [cc]				★★½ Yes Man (2008) [cc]			
HBO 22	X-Files	Horton Hears			★½ Bride Wars (2009) [cc]		★★½ RocknRolla (2008) [cc]					Curb
AMC 24	Mad Max Beyond Thunderdome				★★★½ The Matrix (1999) [cc]						Matrix Reload	
USA 25	★★ National Treasure (2004) [cc] Cont'd					★★ The Game Plan (2007) [cc]					Law Order: CI	
DSC 26	Ghost Lab [cc]		Ghost Lab [cc]		Nostradamus Decoded [cc]				2012 Apocalypse		Nostradamus	
ESPN 27	Football	Score	College Football: Teams To Be Announced						Score	College Football		
TNT 32	★★ Into the Blue (2005) [cc]				★★½ Con Air (1997) [cc]					Fast and Furious-Drift		
SYFY 33	Earthstorm		Megafault (2009) [cc]				Ice Twisters (2009) [cc]				2012: Startling	

TUESDAY EVENING — November 17

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	Merry	The Biggest Loser [cc]			Jay Leno Show		News	Tonight
CBS 4	News	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	NCIS [cc]		NCIS: LA		The Good Wife [cc]		News	Late
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Office	V [cc]		Dancing-Stars		the forgotten [cc]		News	Night-
PBS 7	BBC	Busi-	News-Lehrer		Nova [cc]		Secrets-Dead		Globe Trekker [cc]		BBC	Ky Life
NBC 8	News	NBC	Inside	Holly-	Merry	The Biggest Loser [cc]			Jay Leno Show		News	Tonight
WGN 9	Becker	Becker	Home Videos		★ Inspector Gadget (1999) [cc]				WGN News		Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	Deal No	Deal No	Two	Two	So You Think You Can Dance [cc]				News		Simp-	Fam
CBS 12	News	CBS	Law	King	NCIS [cc]		NCIS: LA		The Good Wife [cc]		News	Late
TBS 13	Seinfeld	Office	Name	Name	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Lopez Tonight	
ENC 14	Defend-	Sixteen Candles			10 Things I Hate			★★ Made of Honor (2008) [cc]				House3
FAM 15	Richie Rich's Christmas Wish				★★ Richie Rich (1994) [cc]				Home Videos		The 700 Club [cc]	
LIFE 16	Grey's Anatomy		Grey's Anatomy		Grey's Anatomy		Sherri	Sherri	Sherri	Sherri	Will	Will
A&E 17	The First 48 [cc]		Criminal Minds [cc]		The First 48 [cc]		Parking	Parking	Parking	Parking	Parking	Parking
SHOW 19	Charlie	Superhero Movie			★★½ Mozart & the Whale (2005) [cc]				Dexter [cc]		Californ	Californ
DISN 20	Phineas	Suite	Wizards	Mon-	Minutemen (2008) [cc]			Phineas	Phineas	Mon-	Wizards	Raven
MAX 21	Hellboy II: The Golden Army				★★ The Bucket List (2007) [cc]				The Time Machine			Life Top
HBO 22	★★ August Rush (2007) [cc]				★½ Bride Wars (2009) [cc]			★½ Jumper (2008) [cc]			Curb	Pac-
AMC 24	The Prisoner [cc]				The Prisoner [cc]				The Prisoner [cc]			
USA 25	Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU	
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	Dirty Jobs [cc]		Dirty Jobs [cc]		Dirty Jobs [cc]		Ghost Lab [cc]		Dirty Jobs [cc]	
ESPN 27	College Basketball				College Basketball				College Basketball			
TNT 32	Law & Order [cc]		Bones [cc]		Bones [cc]		Bones [cc]		Bones [cc]		CSI: NY [cc]	
SYFY 33	Stargate SG-1 [cc]		Scare	Scare	Scare	Scare	Scare	Scare	ECW		Ghost Hunters	

SUNDAY EVENING — November 15

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Football Night		NFL Football: New England Patriots at Indianapolis Colts [cc]							News
CBS 4	News	Maga-	60 Minutes [cc]		Amazing Race		Three Rivers [cc]		Cold Case [cc]		News	Dan
ABC 6	NASCAR Race		Home Videos		Extreme-Home		Housewives		Brothers & Sisters		News	Dean
PBS 7	Work-	Garden	Vicar of Dibley		Time-	Wait	Masterpiece Contemporary [cc]				America	Book-
NBC 8	News	NBC	Football Night		NFL Football: New England Patriots at Indianapolis Colts [cc]							News
WGN 9	ALF [cc]	ALF [cc]	Cosby	Cosby	Newhart	Newhart	Bar-	Bar-	News	Replay	Cheers	Cheers
FOX 11	NFL Football			The OT	Simp-	Cleve-	Fam	Amer	News		Paid	Motor
CBS 12	News	CBS	60 Minutes [cc]		Amazing Race		Three Rivers [cc]		Cold Case [cc]		News	Brooks
TBS 13	★★★ Freaky Friday (2003) [cc]				★★★★ The Wizard of Oz (1939) [cc]				★★★★ The Wizard of Oz (1939) [cc]			
ENC 14	★★★ Twister (1996) [cc]				★★★½ Back to the Future (1985) [cc]				Back to the Future Part II			
FAM 15	Charlie and the Chocolate Factory				★★★ Meet the Robinsons (2007) [cc]				★★★ Meet the Robinsons (2007) [cc]			
LIFE 16	Devil's Pond		You Belong to Me (2008) [cc]				Dead at 17 (2008) [cc]				Dead at 17	
A&E 17	CSI: Miami [cc]		CSI: Miami [cc]		Criminal Minds [cc]		Criminal Minds [cc]		Criminal Minds [cc]		CSI: Miami [cc]	
SHOW 19	★★★ Lars and the Real Girl (2007) [cc]				Dexter [cc]		Dexter [cc]		Californ	Californ	Dexter [cc]	
DISN 20	Sonny	Sonny	Sonny	Mon-	Sonny	Jonas	Princess Diaries 2				Wizards	Mon-
MAX 21	Jour-	★★½ Baby Mama (2008) [cc]			★★½ Yes Man (2008) [cc]				★★★ Tropic Thunder (2008) [cc]			
HBO 22	Dsper-	★½ Bride Wars (2009) [cc]			Pacquiao-Cotto		Curb-Enthsm		Curb	★★½ The Rocker (2008) [cc]		
AMC 24	★★½ The Matrix Revolutions (2003)				The Prisoner [cc]				The Prisoner [cc]			
USA 25	LiarLiar	★★ The Pacifier (2005) [cc]				★★ The Game Plan (2007) [cc]					House [cc]	
DSC 26	Cocaine Nation [cc]		Anatomy-Take.		Cleopatra-Killer		Jack the Ripper		Storm Chasers [cc]		Cleopatra-Killer	
ESPN 27	Billiards		SportsCenter [cc]			College Football: East Carolina at Tulsa						Sports-
TNT 32	★★½ Con Air (1997) [cc]				★★★ The Rock (1996) [cc]					★★★ The Rock (1996) [cc]		
SYFY 33	Mission	★★★ Serenity (2005) [cc]					★★★ Interview With the Vampire (1994) [cc]					Dead

WEDNESDAY EVENING — November 18

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	Mercy [cc]		Law & Order: SVU		Jay Leno Show		News	Tonight
CBS 4	News	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	Chris-	Gary	Criminal Minds [cc]		CSI: NY [cc]		News	Late
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Office	Hank [cc]	Middle	Family	Cougar	In the Spotlight		News	Night-
PBS 7	BBC	Busi-	News-Lehrer		Jubilee [cc]		Alzheimer's		Alzheimer's		BBC	Ky Life
NBC 8	News	NBC	Inside	Holly-	Mercy [cc]		Law & Order: SVU		Jay Leno Show		News	Tonight
WGN 9	Becker	Becker	Home Videos		★★½ Polyester (1981) [cc]				WGN News		Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	Deal No	Deal No	Two	Two	You Can Dance		Glee [cc]		News		Simp-	Fam
CBS 12	News	CBS	Griffith	King	Chris-	Gary	Criminal Minds [cc]		CSI: NY [cc]		News	Late
TBS 13	Seinfeld	Office	Name	Name	Payne	Payne	Payne	Payne	Browns	Browns	Lopez Tonight	
ENC 14	Back to the Future Part II				★★★ The Family Man (2000) [cc]				Passenger 57			Thin-
FAM 15	Fresh Pr	Fresh Pr	Gotta Catch		★★★ Lilo & Stitch (2002) [cc]				Home Videos		The 700 Club [cc]	
LIFE 16	Grey's Anatomy		Grey's Anatomy		Grey's Anatomy		★★ Lucky You (2007) [cc]					Will
A&E 17	The First 48 [cc]		Criminal Minds [cc]		Dog	Dog	Dog	Dog	Dog	Dog	Man-	Man-
SHOW 19	★★½ The Killing Room (2009)				Lock	Lock	Inside the NFL [cc]		Dexter [cc]		Inside the NFL [cc]	
DISN 20	Phineas	Suite	Wizards	Mon-	Adventures of Sharkboy			Phineas	Phineas	Mon-	Wizards	Raven
MAX 21	★★★ Role Models (2008) [cc]		★★½ The Express (2008) [cc]						★★½ Yes Man (2008) [cc]			Coed
HBO 22	★★ Hotel for Dogs (2009) [cc]				★★★★ The Dark Knight (2008) [cc]						Curb	Mr. Fox	Rock-
AMC 24	The Prisoner [cc]				Terminator 3: Rise of the Machines					★½ End of Days (1999) [cc]		
USA 25	NCIS [cc]		NCIS [cc]		NCIS [cc]		NCIS [cc]		NCIS [cc]		Thank Smoking	
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	MythBusters [cc]		MythBusters [cc]		MythBusters [cc]		MythBusters [cc]		MythBusters [cc]	
ESPN 27	SportsCenter [cc]		NBA Basketball: Cavaliers at Wizards					NBA Basketball: Spurs at Mavericks				
TNT 32	Law & Order [cc]		Bones [cc]		Bones [cc]		Bones [cc]		Leverage [cc]		Dark Blue [cc]	
SYFY 33	Stargate SG-1 [cc]		Ghost Hunters [cc]		Ghost Hunters [cc]		Ghost Hunters [cc]		Ghost Hunters		Ghost Hunters [cc]	

MONDAY EVENING — November 16

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	Heroes [cc]		Trauma [cc]		Jay Leno Show		News	Tonight
CBS 4	News	CBS	College Basketball				Two	Big	CSI: Miami [cc]		News	Late
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Office	Dancing With the Stars [cc]				Castle [cc]		News	Night-
PBS 7	BBC	Busi-	News-Lehrer		Kentucky Tonight		American Exp.		Frontline [cc]		BBC	Ky Life
NBC 8	News	NBC	Inside	Holly-	Heroes [cc]		Trauma [cc]		Jay Leno Show		News	Tonight
WGN 9	Becker	Becker	Home Videos		Home Videos		Home Videos		WGN News		Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	Deal No	Deal No	Two	Two	House [cc]		Lie to Me [cc]		News		Simp-	Fam
CBS 12	News	CBS	College Basketball				Two	Big	CSI: Miami [cc]		News	Late
TBS 13	Seinfeld	Office	Name	Name	Fam	Fam	Fam	Fam	Fam	Fam	Lopez Tonight	
ENC 14	Fried Green Tomatoes				Josie and the Pussycats			★★★ Pretty Woman (1990) [cc]				South-
FAM 15	Eloise at Christmastime				A Dennis the Menace Christmas				Home Videos		The 700 Club [cc]	
LIFE 16	Grey's Anatomy		Grey's Anatomy		Grey's Anatomy		Rita	Rita	Rita	Rita	Will	Will
A&E 17	The First 48 [cc]		Criminal Minds [cc]		Intervention [cc]		Intervention [cc]		Hoarders [cc]		Para-	Para-
SHOW 19	American Drug		★★ War, Inc. (2008) [cc]				Dexter [cc]		Californ	Californ	Dexter [cc]	
DISN 20	Phineas	Suite	Wizards	Mon-	★★½ Sky High (2005) [cc]			Phineas	Phineas	Mon-	Wizards	Raven
MAX 21	★½ Leviathan (1989) [cc]			★★½ Pride and Glory (2008) [cc]					★★½ Yes Man (2008) [cc]			Naked
HBO 22	Miss Congeniality			Pac-	Sisterhood -Traveling Pants 2				★★½ Flash of Genius (2008) [cc]			
AMC 24	The Prisoner [cc]				The Prisoner [cc]				The Prisoner [cc]			
USA 25	NCIS [cc]		NCIS [cc]		NCIS [cc]		WWE Monday Night Raw [cc]				White Collar [cc]	
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	Man vs. Wild [cc]		Planet Earth [cc]		Planet Earth [cc]		Des-	Des-	Planet Earth [cc]	
ESPN 27	SportsCenter		Monday Night Countdown [cc]		NFL Football: Baltimore Ravens at Cleveland Browns							Sports-
TNT 32	Law & Order [cc]		Bones [cc]		Bones [cc]		The Closer [cc]		The Closer [cc]		Raising the Bar [cc]	
SYFY 33	Ghost Hunters		Ghost Whisperer		Ghost Whisperer		Ghost Whisperer		Ghost Whisperer		Monster	Monster

THURSDAY EVENING — November 19

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	Com-	Parks	Office	30 Rock	Jay Leno Show		News	Tonight
CBS 4	News	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	Survivor: Samoa		CSI: Crime Scn		The Mentalist [cc]		News	Basket-
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Office	FlashForward [cc]		Grey's Anatomy		Private Practice [cc]		News	Night-
PBS 7	BBC	Busi-	News-Lehrer		Antiques Rdsho		Shirley Temple		Secrets-Shangri		BBC	Ky Life
NBC 8	News	NBC	Inside	Holly-	Com-	Parks	Office	30 Rock	Jay Leno Show		News	Tonight
WGN 9	Becker	Becker	Home Videos		WWE Superstars		Home Videos		WGN News		Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	Deal No	Deal No	Two	Two	Bones [cc]		Fringe [cc]		News		Simp-	Fam
CBS 12	News	CBS	Ken-	Sports	Survivor: Samoa		CSI: Crime Scn		The Mentalist [cc]		News	Basket-
TBS 13	Seinfeld	Office	Name	Name	Fam	Fam	Talladega Nights: Ricky Bobby				Lopez Tonight	
ENC 14	★★½ Multiplicity (1996) [cc]				★½ Armageddon (1998) [cc]					Scent of a Woman		
FAM 15	Fresh Pr	Fresh Pr	Christmas Caper (2007) [cc]				A Carol Christmas (2003) [cc]				The 700 Club [cc]	
LIFE 16	Project Runway [cc]		Project Runway [cc]		Project Runway [cc]		Project Runway [cc]		Project Runway [cc]		Models	Runway
A&E 17	The First 48 [cc]		Criminal Minds [cc]		The First 48 [cc]		The First 48 [cc]		The First 48 [cc]		Crime 360 [cc]	
SHOW 19	Nail	★★ Hot Rod (2007)			Dexter [cc]		The Amateurs (2005)			Epps, Rated		Peters
DISN 20	Phineas	Suite	Wizards	Mon-	Dadnapped (2009)			Phineas	Phineas	Mon-	Wizards	Raven
MAX 21	Marked	The Distinguished Gentleman				★★ Meet Dave (2008) [cc]		★ Showgirls (1995) [cc]				
HBO 22	★★½ Flash of Genius (2008) [cc]				Terror in Mumbai		Meet the Spartans			Pac-	Sex	Cat-
AMC 24	★½ End of Days (1999) [cc] Cont'd				★★★½ The Green Mile (1999) [cc]							
USA 25	NCIS [cc]		NCIS [cc]		House [cc]		House [cc]		House [cc]		Law Order: CI	
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	Des-	Des-	Cook County Jail		Cook County Jail		Storm Chasers [cc]		Cook County Jail	
ESPN 27	SportsCenter [cc]		College Football: Colorado at Oklahoma State							SportsCenter [cc]		
TNT 32	Law & Order [cc]		Bones [cc]		NBA Basketball: Suns at Hornets					NBA Basketball		
SYFY 33	Stargate SG-1 [cc]		Scare		Lockjaw: Rise of the Kulev		Mutants (2008)				War of Worlds	

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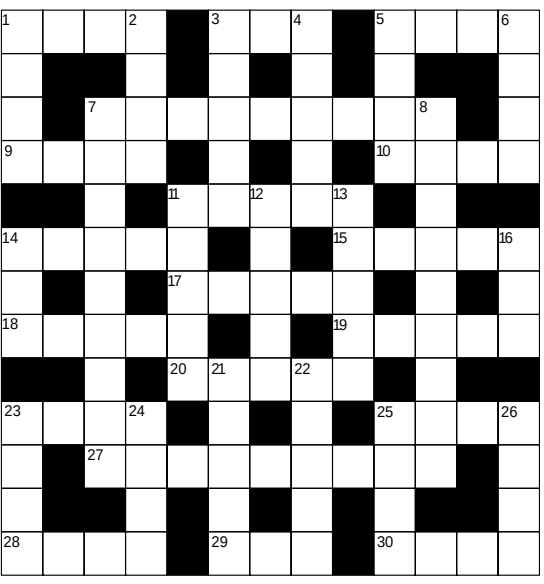

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5. Walk lamely
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11. Drain
14. Intended
15. Employers
17. Electronic detector
18. Money bag
19. Monastery
20. Turn suddenly
23. Mislaid
25. Disparage
27. Separate
28. Strong desire
29. Up tp present time
30. Sullen

CLUES DOWN
1. Repair
2. Lantern
3. Strainer
4. Dig
5. Speech impediment
6. Heap
7. Cause to feel uncomfortable
8. Exaggeration
11. Scatter
12. Force apart
13. Pastoral
14. Chart
16. Coy
21. Hasten
22. A grass fungus
23. Deep affection
24. Subject of sermon
25. Male deer
26. Space

SOLUTIONS

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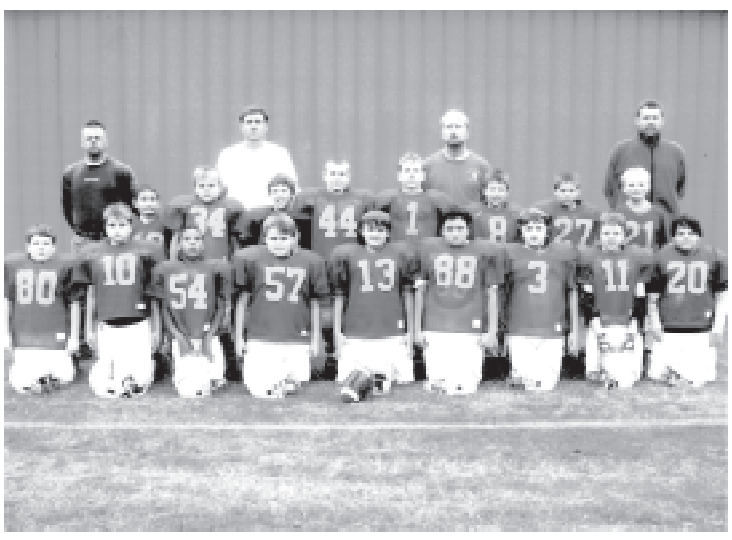
COURIER SPORTS

Vest harvests bull elk with bow

Terry Vest and son, Bradley, with their Kentucky Elk harvest. This 6x5 bull elk was taken with a bow in Knott County. During the 2009 Kentucky Elk Season. The bull weighed 700 pounds when harvested.



Chargers tourney champs

The Chargers emerged as the Morgan County 3rd-5th Grade Football Tournament champions. Team members are, front, from left, Jacob Helton, Tyler Potter,, Jeremy Keeton, Braxton Hunley, Jacob Holbrook, Jacob Wright, Dalton Hunley, Jacob Jenkins, Justin Walter; second row from left, Barrett Howell, Logan Hunley, Jordan Howell, Garrett Finch, Spencer Smith, Garrett Adkins, Seth Dalton, Matt Hylton; back row from left, Trevor Howell, asst. coach; Truston Howell, asst. coach; Freddie Hylton,, head coach, and Shawn Dalton, asst. coach.

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Turner Selected to coach in All-American Game

By David Patrick

It's not often that a football coach is given the opportunity to tutor the nation's elite players. But come late December, Morgan County coach Brian Turner will be doing just that.

Turner has been selected to coach at the Football University All-American Game in San Antonio, Texas. He was nominated by and will represent the Kentucky Middle School Football Association. Turner attended the event last season, but admits the trip will be special this time around.

"I'm really excited about it," Turner said on Tuesday. "It's a great honor to coach the nation's top young football players. Many of these kids will go on to play in college and the NFL. It's an awesome thing to be a part of."

Other than being invited, Turner has received very few details, including which side of the ball he'll be coaching. And while he'll be teaching the youngsters, it's also an opportunity for Turner to learn from the game's best.

"Many of the instructors in San Antonio are former NFL players," Turner said. "There's also a lot of college recruiters on hand to help kids prepare for the recruiting process that lies ahead."

Coach Brian Turner

Turner's middle school coaching resume certainly qualifies him for the task. Turner has won 71 games in eight seasons at MCMS, including four conference (Foothills and East Kentucky) championships and two state final four appearances—including runner-up honors this season.

The FBU All-American Game will be held in 65,000 seat Alamo Dome the week after Christmas.

Morgan Falls to Corbin in Opening Round of Playoffs

Curd leads offense with 97 yards; Harvey scores team's lone touchdown

By David Patrick

Corbin scored two touchdowns in each of the first two quarters and never looked back as the Redhounds eliminated Morgan County from the class 2-A playoffs, 40 - 6.

The game marked only the third time all season the Cougars failed to score in double figures. Still, it was a noticable improvement from last year's 53-point shutout at the hands of Corbin.

Jared Curd led the Cougar offensive effort with 97 yards on 12 carries. Mitchell Harvey and Kyle Havens combined for 17 rushes and 50 yards, with Harvey scoring the team's lone touchdown. Kerrick Kidd and Joe Holbrook and 19 and 11 yards, respectively.

Defensively, Havens paced the team with six solo tackes. Harvey and Ryan Flannery finished with five tackles apiece, with Flannery picking up the Cougars' only quarterback sack.

The loss drops Morgan to 2 - 9 on the season and winless in district and region play. Corbin improves

to 9 - 2 and will host Shelby Valley tomorrow night at 7:30 in the second round of the post-season.

Grand Prix Table Tennis

GPTT Champion Legend vs. Howard at Wednesday Pong

GPTT's Wednesday table tennis meet was held on Wednesday, November 4, 2009 at the Morgan County Community Center in West Liberty. We had seventeen players, which is the highest GPTT meet draw since March of this year. Players were excited about the new format, which features a scorekeeper, ranked match, and a big time playing atmosphere. "It has a big game feel," says Pride Champion "The Rock" Steve Patrick. "Every match really gets your attention." GPTT President Byron Risner weighed in on the new match up format. "We primarily use one table, and the other tables are used for pick up games, practice, and or warm ups. It benefits everyone and is especially beneficial for beginners looking to have a great table tennis experience. It is more spectator friendly as well, you can actually watch a game and know what's going on with scorekeepers and an umpire. We are getting rave reviews and we intend to keep using the format."

The main event match saw Pride Champion "The Rock" Steve Patrick beat Langley Franklin by scores of 15-13, 12-10, and 11-9 in an exhilerating match featuring two of Eastern Kentucky's best table tennis players. Doubles Champions "The Legend" Byron Risner and "The Rock" Steve Patrick beat number one doubles title contenders Tyler McNish and Jonathan Howard two straight games: 11-3 and 12-10. The Rock and Legend are locked in as the number one doubles team of the year on points. McNish and Howard beat them two weeks ago to win their first doubles championship, they also won a tournament at the meet to determine the top contenders. The doubles number one contender's tournament results are as follows: Quarter Finals: Josh May and Langley Franklin received a bye; Ryan MCCarty and Austin Reynolds defeated Gabe Bailey and Josh Frisby by scores of 11-3 and 11-4. Tyler McNish and Jonathan Howard received a bye; Russell Conley and Alex Howard defeated Jeremy Watts and Jon Deaton by scores of 11-4 and 11-6. Semi-Finals: Josh May and Langley Franklin defeated Ryan McCarty and Austin Reynolds by scores of 11-9 and 11-7; Tyler McNish and Jonathan Howard won over Russell Conley and Alex Howard two games to one by scores of 7-11 (lost), 11-6, and 11-8. Final: Tyler McNish and Jonathan Howard beat Langley Franklin and Josh May 11-8 and 11-8.

We would like to invite the general public to play table tennis on Wednesdays at 6:30 pm at the Morgan County Community Center. We have five Olympic quality tables and we encourage beginners to attend. We have coaching for players of all levels. For more information call us at 606-662-6332. You can e-mail us at gptt1@yahoo.com. See you at the matches!

GPTT RANKINGS

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GPTT Champion:

Byron Risner 35-0/ 1585

1. Pride Champion: Steve Patrick 25-21/ 1163
2. Jonathan Howard 28-13 / 1388
3. Josh May 17-16 / 1356
4. Langley Franklin 9-13/ 1256
5. Gabe Bailey 13-17/ 778
6. Challenge Champion: Josh Frisby 12-21 / 762
7. Ryan McCarty 12-10 / 765
8. Austin Reynolds 3-1 / 1006*
9. Tyler McNish 14-9 / 942
10. Alex Howard 0-1*/ 807

Doubles

Champions: Steve Patrick and Byron Risner

1. Jonathan Howard and Tyler McNish
2. Josh May and Langley Franklin
3. Ryan McCarty and Austin Reynolds
4. Gabe Bailey and Josh Frisby
5. Russell Conley and Alex Howard

Kentucky Afield Outdoors

Tree stand can mean success, demand safety

Tree stands can give deer hunters an edge. Fifteen feet off the ground, it's easier to see a deer and more difficult for them to see or smell you. But hunters need to take precautions whenever they use a tree stand.

"Tree stand falls are a substantial percentage of our hunting incidents every year," said Will Connelly, a hunter training officer with the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources.

Eight hunting incidents have been reported to Kentucky Fish and Wildlife this year. Two involved falls from tree stands. Neither of the injured hunters was using a safety harness. Most falls can be avoided if hunters attach themselves to the stand with a harness, especially while they are climbing up and down.

"The number one thing hunters need to do is use that full-body harness – bottom to top and top back down again," Connelly said. "For ladder and lock-on stands, there are methods to do that, but that's where a lot of people take chances."

Hunters should also observe the three-point rule: Keep three points of your body in contact with the ladder at all times. This means while climbing, move one hand or one foot at a time, but never two at once.

"Don't carry anything up, make sure your hands are free," Connelly said. "That means no heavy backpacks that could knock you off-balance. Use a haul line going up and down."

Haul lines are attached to the tree stand or a sturdy nearby limb. Hunters secure their bow, pack or unloaded gun to the line, climb the stand and then pull up their equipment. Using a haul line can help prevent falls and ensure that, if a fall does occur, the hunter doesn't fall on his or her gun or bow.

Tree stands that are put up at the beginning of the season and taken down at the end are far safer than permanent stands. Nails loosen, wood rots and time takes its toll on stands left up permanently.

"My recommendation is don't use permanent stands at all," said Connelly. "But if somebody's going to get in one, they need to be very careful. Take a ladder and double-check the steps without having to actually get on them."

Finally, tree stands aren't the only way to hunt successfully. Hunters, especially those who are afraid of heights or have trouble physically climbing into a stand, can use a ground blind instead.

Kentucky's modern gun deer season opens Nov. 14 statewide and closes Nov. 23 in deer zones 3 and 4, and Nov. 29 in deer zones 1 and 2. For complete hunting regulations, pick up a copy of the 2009-10 Kentucky Hunting and Trapping Guide, available online at *fw.ky.gov* and wherever hunting licenses are sold. Hunters who plan to hunt wildlife management areas should be sure to review public land tree stand use regulations on page 17 of the guide.

Author Hayley Lynch is an award-winning writer and associate editor for Kentucky Afield magazine, the official publication of the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources. She loves deer hunting, shotgun sports and introducing women to the outdoors.

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ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

Halley Wilson

MCHS Girls' Cross Country

This week's athlete of the week is Halley Wilson of the MCHS Girl's Cross Country team. Halley led the girls this Saturday in the Regional meet with a time of 25:50. Out of the best 10 Cougars girl times of the season, Halley owns 4 of those with her personal best being 24:10.10 for the 5K. Congratulations to Halley Wilson, this week's Morgan County High School Athlete of the Week. Halley is the daughter of Mike and Brenda Wilson.

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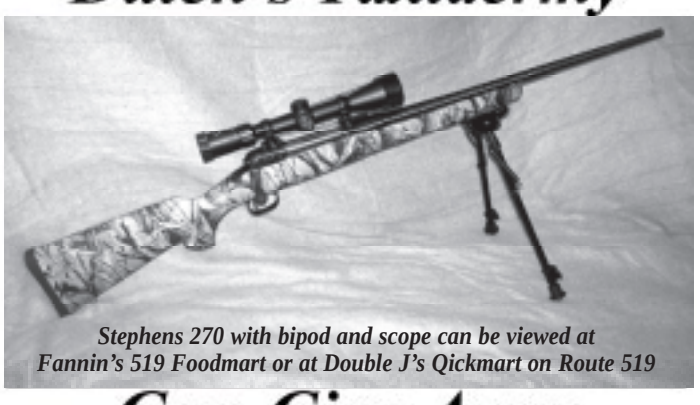

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GFWC Morgan County Woman's Club members Marilyn Harper and Wilma Ison met with the Kiwanis Club on Oct. 19 to discuss plans for the unveiling of the Women's Military Memorial. The ladies thanked the Kiwanis Club for its support in allowing the Woman's Club to place the statues at the Tredway/Kiwanis Park and for supplying donuts and coffee for the Veterans Program on Saturday, November 7, 2009. Marilyn Harper is shown above with Kiwanis president Langley Franklin.

Emily McKenzie

Jr. Miss getting ready for 2010 State Program

Lexington was a hub of excitement on Nov. 1 when Junior Miss contestants gathered to prepare for the State Junior Miss Program.

Emily Kathryn McKenzie, Morgan County's Junior Miss, was among the girls who will be competing for 2010 Kentucky Junior Miss on Jan. 15-16 at Lexington's Singletary Center.

Emily is the daughter of Stephen and LeeAnn McKenzie of West Liberty and a senior at Morgan County High School. She won the title of Morgan County Junior Miss of 2010 at the Aug. 15 program sponsored by the Morgan County Woman's Club.

Anyone wishing to support Emily by attending the state program in January can purchase tickets by contacting Wilma Ison at 606-743-7728 or 743-3696. The competitions will be on Jan. 15 at 8:00 p.m. and Jan. 16 at 1:30 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. Tickets are are $33.00 for each session or tickets for all three events may be purchased for $79.00 if you want to sit with other Morgan County supporters. Otherwise, tickets can be ordered after Dec. 20 by calling the Singletary Center.

Support for Emily also can be demonstrated by purchasing an ad to be placed in the official program for $25.00.

Any junior girl planning to participate in the 2011 Junior Miss program can benefit by attending the state program.

Rogers Scholars pgm. applications available online

High school students in Morgan County can now get an early start on applying for the 2010 summer sessions of the Rogers Scholars and Entrepreneurial Leadership Institute (ELI) youth programs sponsored and hosted by The Center for Rural Development.

Applications for both programs have been posted online and may be downloaded and printed from the Rogers Scholars Web site at www.rogersscholars.com or The Center for Rural Development's Web site, www.centertech.com, where visitors can find the application form for ELI.

All applications must be printed on paper, completed, and mailed to The Center for Rural Development at 2292 South Highway 27, Suite 300, Somerset, Ky. 42501. Applications for both programs must be postmarked by Jan. 31, 2010.

Rogers Scholars and ELI focus on developing business and entrepreneurial skills, and encourage participants to ultimately use those skills in positions of leadership in Southern and Eastern Kentucky.

Rogers Scholars is an intensive one-week summer session for rising high school juniors in The Center's primary 42-county service area. The program emphasizes the development of technology skills and builds in participants a sense of leadership, an entrepreneurial spirit, and a commitment to rural Kentucky.

Graduates of Rogers Scholars are eligible to apply for college scholarships from 13 participating Kentucky colleges and universities.

High school freshmen, sophomores, and juniors with a specific interest in business and entrepreneurship can apply for a one-week summer session of ELI. The program promotes creativity and teamwork, and building business and leadership skills.

Lodging, meals, and program expenses (excluding transportation costs to and from host site) for both programs are provided free of charge to participating students.

The dates for 2010 Rogers Scholars sessions are June 27-July 2 and July 11-16. ELI will be held during the week of June 13-18. Both programs are held on the grounds of The Center.

For more information or to schedule a school visit to discuss either Rogers Scholars or ELI, please contact Jessica Melton, associate director of education and training, at 606-677-6000 or via e-mail at jmelton@centertech.com.

ANGELIC RULES FOR FRIENDSHIP

Sow seeds of kindness and every day, and sprinkle frequently with laughter. Pick friendship with care. Weed out bad thoughts, grow a little every day. Be perennially happy. Remember that everything under Heaven is a miracle.

(Submitted by Alpha Clevenger)

Belington, WV based band, Shaffer, to perform at Assembly of Faith Ch.

Belington, West Virginia, based band, Shaffer, has just released its fifth CD, "Believe." The band, formerly called The Shaffers, is comprised of Dave Shaffer, his wife, Trish, daughter, Cassie Shaffer-Hymes, and her husband, Mike Hymes. They have been performing professionally since 2000, garnering national attention and opening for such artists as Sugarland, Jason Crabb, the Hoppers and 4Him.

"Believe' is a project intended to affect all ages," lead vocalist Shaffer-Hymes said. "We really feel like this project identifies who we are as artists."

"Believe" contains 10 songs, including five co-written by Shaffer-Hymes, and will appeal to fans of Rascal Flatts, Keith Urban, the Crabb Family, 33 Miles and Martina McBride, Shaffer-Hymes said. It was produced by Phil Cross and was recorded in Crossroads Studio in Ashville, N.C.

"This is a collection of songs of encouragement, hope and praise," Shaffer-Hymes said.

The title track of the project, "I Believe," is born out of Shaffer-Hymes' own testimony. "This song is deeply personal for me. I wrote it from my experience battling cancer and it is a statement of faith that no matter what we face, we believe that God is ultimately in control and will guide us through our difficult times," she said.

"This is a CD that we have envisioned making for the last few years and are thrilled at the opportunity to finally be able to take what we believe is a huge step forward for us as a band," she said. "It is our prayer that through this new project others will have their own belief strengthened."

Shaffer will be performing songs from "Believe" as well as their other four CDs at Assembly of Faith Church, 5578 Hwy. 519, West Liberty, on Sunday at 11 a.m.

For additional information about Shaffer visit www.shafferband.com.

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Students are responsible for textbooks and course fees. Textbooks for the classes are available from the University Bookstore, located in the Adron Doran University Center on the Morehead campus.

Orders may be placed by calling (888) STORE-05 or via the Internet at www.bookstore.moreheadstate.edu. Purchases will be shipped to the address specified by the student.

Classes at MSU for the spring semester begin Monday, Jan. 11, at all locations. The term ends May 7.

Additional information and application forms are available by calling Tina Stafford, MSU's distance education director, at (800) 585-6781, option #3; MSU at Mt. Sterling, (859) 498-0780 or (866) 870-0809; or MSU at West Liberty, (800) 648-5371 or (606) 743-1500; or visit MSU's Distance Education online at www.moreheadstate.edu/de/index.aspx?id=23694.

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